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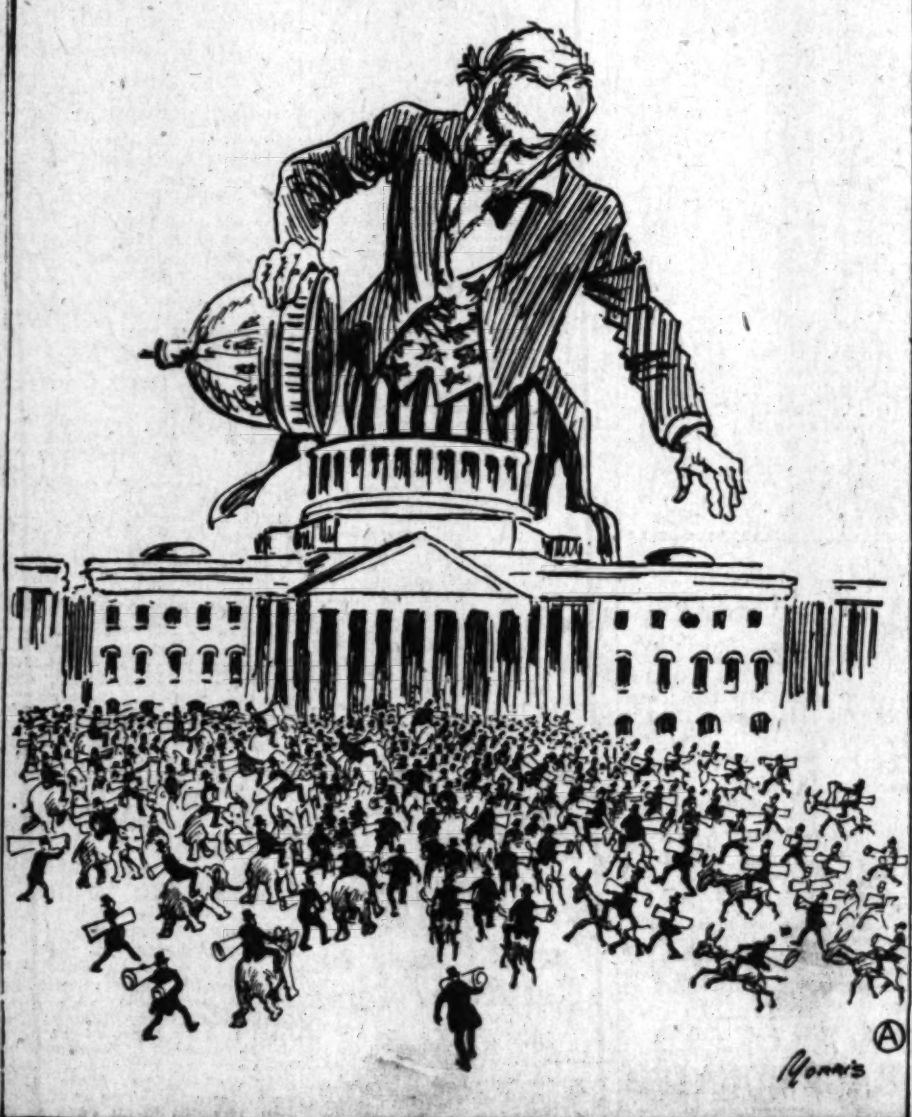
Pick Candidate for Speaker

House Irreconcilables to Fight Tax Plan and Champion Farmers

Very Descent May Cost Ranking Places and Committee Posts

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—On the eve of the convening of the 69th Congress, insurgents of the House tonight threw down the gauntlet to Republican leaders. After reorganizing their old party, the insurgents served notice that they not only would not support the tax plan, but would also fight it to the bitter end. The House is now divided into two camps, the majority and the minority. The majority is made up of the House Republicans, and the minority is made up of the House Democrats. The House is now divided into two camps, the majority and the minority. The majority is made up of the House Republicans, and the minority is made up of the House Democrats.

"She's Beginning to Sinner"



Manufactures Set Record on October Totals

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—October production of manufactures in the United States reached a new high record during October, the weighted index of the Commerce Department, reaching 133 on the basis of 100 as representative of the 1913 monthly average.

PRINCESS BORN IN JAPAN

Bride of Crown Prince Hirohito Presents Imperial Family With Grand-daughter

TOKIO, Dec. 6.—Princess Nagako, who became the bride of Crown Prince Hirohito January 28 last, presented the imperial family with a grand-daughter at 3:30 p.m. today. Newspapers issued extras and there was a general air of rejoicing throughout Japan. The royal infant will be presented with the imperial sword at a traditional ceremony tomorrow.

Earth Shocks in Southwest Are Recorded

DENVER (Colo.) Dec. 6.—Rev. Father A. W. Forstall, director of the seismographic observatory at Regis College here, announced tonight that his instrument registered at 10:30 a.m. an earthquake of considerable intensity between 600 and 700 miles southwest of Denver.

ANCIENT TOMB DESCRIBED

Explorers Tell of Digging into Grave of Tin-Hanan, Leader of Civilized Sahara Race

PARIS, Dec. 6.—An account of the method used in proving the existence of an advanced ancient civilization in the desert wastes of the Sahara, the discovery of a "legendary tomb" that is not a legend any more, was brought to Paris today by the Count de Prorok, Beloit College expedition, just returned from its labor in the sun-scorched desert.

ARMY BODY TO MEET

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 6.—The Association of the Army of the United States will conduct a luncheon meeting at the Palace Hotel tomorrow. Maj. Robert W. Welles will be the speaker of the day, his subject being "Aircraft in the Future."

OHIO TOWN FIRESWEPT

PORTSMOUTH (O.) Dec. 6.—Fire today destroyed three of the largest business blocks in Portsmouth, causing a loss estimated at more than \$500,000.

COOLIDGE ON WAY WEST

Speaks Today in Chicago

Will Return Immediately to Transmit Message to Congress

Attitude on Farm Problem Will be Stressed in Address

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—President Coolidge is on his way westward tonight to discuss the agricultural situation in Chicago tomorrow morning in an address before the annual convention of the American Farm Bureau Federation. With Mrs. Coolidge and his party, the President left Washington at 2 p.m. aboard a special train operated as the first section of one of the limiteds between the capital and the West. The President and Mrs. Coolidge will be accompanied by the Pullman porters, were the same that were placed at the President's disposal on his trip to Minnesota last June and to Omaha in October.

RESTS ON JOURNEY

The day was fair, but chilly, and the President viewed the scenery along the Potomac Valley from inside the car. The route had not been made public, but the President apparently was not fully well as scores of persons gathered at various points to catch glimpses of the Chief Executive.

Nation Viewed as Leader for World Peace

CHICAGO, Dec. 6.—The most urgent question before the nations of the world is the establishment of universal peace, former Gov. Sweet of Colorado declared before the Chicago Forum today. His address was in reply to a recent address here by Senator Borah against American admission to the World Court.

Druse Rebels Face Defeat as Hasbeiya Falls

BEIRUT (Syria) Dec. 6.—French troops have completed the occupation of Hasbeiya. This success is hailed as ending the most serious fighting.

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CARRIES SERMON IN NUTSHELL

Coolidge Uses Few Words Explaining Sunday Lesson to Wife

EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH CUMBERLAND (Md.) Dec. 6.—The latest Coolidge story characteristic of the President's economy in government as well as words is being told on the President's train traveling to Chicago. As told by one of his friends, it is:

President Coolidge attending church some time ago unaccompanied by Mrs. Coolidge. On his return to the White House Mrs. Coolidge asked him whether the sermon was good. To which he replied:

"Yes."
"What was it about?"
"Sin."
"What did the preacher say about it?"
"He was against it."

SURPLUS OF MILLIONS IN STATE FUND

Governor Says Showing Refutes Arguments of Progressive Spendthrifts

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 6.—Gov. Richardson today announced that a report made to him by William Schleich, superintendent of accounts of the State Board of Control, reveals that after all bills of the biennium which ended June 30, last, had been paid, there was a surplus of \$2,139,823.40. This showing, the Governor declared in a statement, completely refutes the arguments of the Progressive spendthrifts. He said the report made to him by William Schleich, superintendent of accounts of the State Board of Control, reveals that after all bills of the biennium which ended June 30, last, had been paid, there was a surplus of \$2,139,823.40.

COMMERCIAL BENEFITS

The chief engineers reports: "Numerous vessels make Los Angeles Harbor a port of call and there is a large tonnage that enters and leaves the harbor for other destinations without unloading. The amount of this commerce is unknown and cannot be obtained at reasonable cost."

ZOO FASHION'S MODEL

Animal Motif Much in Evidence in Fashionable Fads

LONDON, Dec. 6.—Fashion again is going to the zoo for its decorative ideas of the season. Almost every known skin has been taken up by the modern furrier, and in addition the animal motif in decoration has made its presence evident in unexpected directions.

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PEKING, Dec. 6.—War rumors (Continued on Page 2, Column 2)

PORT GETS MILLIONS

Nation Provides \$2,000,000

Completion of Approach to Inner Los Angeles Harbor Provided

Commercial Importance of Waterway Recognized by Army Engineer

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—An expenditure by the government of approximately \$2,000,000 for improvement and development of Los Angeles Harbor during the period ending June 30, 1927, is provided in the annual report of Maj.-Gen. Taylor, chief of engineers, United States Army, made available here today. Contemplated expenditures represent \$197,175.70 for completing the triangular area of approach to the inner harbor entrance channel, which work now is in progress and due to be finished in March of April, and \$1,800,000 for dredging operations and extension of the breakwater. An Act of Congress in March of this year made \$4,500,000 available in annual installments, the city of Los Angeles contributing equal annual amounts to carry on the work of completing the harbor and maintaining dredging activities. It is estimated that \$14,000,000 will be the total breakwater cost. Observing that "the port has become one of principal importance," the chief engineer submits figures showing the volume of commerce at Los Angeles Harbor has increased 352 per cent since 1905. All expenditures by the government at Los Angeles are in addition to expenditures by Los Angeles itself exceeding \$29,000,000. The principal items of commerce are listed as lumber, crude oil and general merchandise. The report shows that the number of passengers carried by vessels entering and leaving Los Angeles Harbor has increased from 251,730 in 1919 to 738,221 in 1924. The value of ocean-borne commerce at the harbor last year exceeded \$500,000,000 and was more than five times greater than that carried in 1919. The value of the harbor's commerce has increased from \$119,114,491.73 in 1919 to \$2,244,137 in 1924. The value of ocean-borne commerce at the harbor last year exceeded \$500,000,000 and was more than five times greater than that carried in 1919. The value of the harbor's commerce has increased from \$119,114,491.73 in 1919 to \$2,244,137 in 1924.

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ARTISTS BRING SCHOOL PRAISE

Pictures by Former Corcoran
Students Displayed

Washington Art Gallery
Offers Courses

Formal Instruction Given by
Masters

BY FRIDERIC J. HASKIN
(EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—At the recent centennial exhibition of the National Academy of Design at the Corcoran Gallery of Art there were pictures of several artists who had been former pupils in the Corcoran School of Art. Such men as Spencer and Homer Nicholson, Arthur Sparrow and Rudolph Evans received part of their instruction here in Washington.

The Corcoran School, as it is now, is the product of a connection which might be termed an informal school for art students which began in 1875. The question of establishing a school in connection with the gallery was first discussed by the board of trustees in the latter part of 1875. In May, 1876, certain rules and regulations for the school were recommended by the committee on works of art and adopted by the board. Shortly after that E. F. Andrews began coming to the gallery on certain days each week and gratuitously giving instruction and criticism to the students working there.

INSTRUCTOR EMPLOYED

The school continued in this manner until 1887 when it was decided that a competent instructor in drawing should be engaged, and Mr. Andrews was elected to fill the position. Thus the school was formally organized. Mr. Corcoran was so impressed with the progress and success that he made provision in his will for the support of an art school to be conducted in connection with the gallery. This was to be under the control of the same board of trustees and was to be known as the Corcoran School of Art.

The school's proportions that it was realized it should have quarters of its own, and accordingly a new building was erected and suitably furnished and equipped. At the same time an assistant instructor was added to the staff. The school continued to grow and it was not long before a large building was needed, and the present one was completed in 1917.

The Corcoran School of Art is unique in that it is free except for a nominal entrance fee of \$10. Also the school is open to the collections of the gallery, and to

CRIPPLE BACK ON DUTY LIST

Patrolman Lost Leg While
Chasing Speeding
Automobile

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Frowning upon the proffer of a pension, Patrolman Alexander Reid, who lost a leg in being knocked off his motorcycle while on duty in Yonkers, won his campaign to be returned to active duty with an artificial leg.

His left leg was crushed and had to be amputated in two separate operations after the accident, which occurred fourteen months ago when he was chasing a speeding automobile. Of eighteen years in the police service, he spent fourteen years on a motorcycle.

Safety Commissioner Alfred E. Hill has ordered Reid, at the latter's request, to return to active duty and he will get an assignment indoors at headquarters.

The many temporary exhibitions which are brought there. In this way he is enabled to view at first hand the work of the finest artists of all periods. His ambitions are stimulated by seeing what is being done by the best of contemporary artists, and by studying the works of the great masters he is able to get a comprehensive idea of how things should be done.

In addition to having access to the finest works of art, he has the benefit of the instruction and criticism of competent instructors. Two days each week the members of the faculty come to the school and advise the students regarding their work. There are both day and night classes. Those of the day are in drawing from the antique, drawing from life, painting, composition and anatomy. Those of the night classes include drawing from the antique and drawing from life.

ANTIQUE CLASS

A student upon first entering the school works in the antique class. When he has completed satisfactory work there he is promoted to the life class. A student who has had antique work at some other school may enter the life class immediately upon making a drawing which is satisfactory to the instructor of that class.

The school, although planned on academic lines, aims to avoid academic pedantry, and seeks to keep its methods flexible, and its points of view vital and progressive. It is recognized that all sound art effort must be based on tradition, but that to have a permanent value art must be in touch with the spirit of its time.

LONG TRAMP ROUTS AVOIRDUPOIS Women Win Wager in 1000-Mile Hike



Anna Rorvik and Mrs. Sam Johnson
(EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH)

VANCOUVER (B. C.) Dec. 6.—"We reduced considerably," that was the greatest benefit derived by two women who have just finished a hike of 1000 miles through the wilds of Central British Columbia, according to their own stories when they arrived at their destination. They were considerably lighter and thinner than when they left.

Princess Rupert, B. C., a month ago, they were the trip absolutely alone with packs on their backs and revolvers on their hips, as the result of a wager with friends that they would make the trip in less than 100 days.

The money was paid when the female "tramps" ended the journey.

Miss Anna Rorvik and Mrs. Sam Johnson of Prince Rupert are the women who made the trip. They started from that city on September 13 and got here sixty-five days later.

Most of the way they had good weather, rain coming down on only three days. From Quesnel to Clinton they had to tramp through snow in the mountains, sometimes a foot deep.

At night their beds were often in haystacks and frequently at the side of the railway tracks under the shelter of a pile of logs. They ate their food by piling up loose sticks. About half of the distance was covered on the C. N. R. right of way, the rest was through the mountains on the famous Cariboo Trail.

"Tunnels were our worst fear," they said. "We thought we might be trapped. One day we passed through a dozen, one of which was 1700 feet long."

A pet spaniel which started with the women gave up after 300 miles.

"We had a great time and it was educational," they said. "But our reducing is the big feature for us."

LIFER'S DEAN FIFTY YEARS BEHIND BARS

Jesse Pomeroy Celebrates
Anniversary in Charleston
Prison

BOSTON, Dec. 6.—For the fiftieth time, Jesse Pomeroy celebrated a birthday anniversary in State prison. He rounded out sixty-six years of life, all but seventeen of the moldering bars of the Charleston prison. He was taken there for life on September 7, 1874, nearly three months before his seventeenth birthday anniversary.

Prison officials say that "Grandpa," as he is called, is in exceptional good health and should live ten or fifteen years more.

Following his regular Sunday routine, he went to church twice on his anniversary, first attending mass in the prison chapel and later the general services. Recreation in the yard with the other prisoners for three-quarters of an hour followed and before noon he was back in his cell to await his call to work on Monday morning.

While Jesse Pomeroy has been in prison, the world has grown up considerably. Pomeroy has never ridden in an electric car, elevator or automobile, but by watching the progress beyond those prison walls he has gained an idea of the way things have progressed beyond those prison walls.

The veteran "lifer" has also listened in on the radio. He is a regular contributor to the prison newspaper and is looked on as the "dean" of the 137 "lifers" now at the institution.

Oratory Absent in Vancouver's City Campaign

Homeless Children Found
Frozen to Death in Snow;
Papers Appeal for Aid

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 6.—The St. Louis Shoe Manufacturers' Association has announced it will conduct its second annual pageant of footwear fashions January 4, 5 and 6, 1926.

The footwear pageant, given as an annual event for the last twenty years, attracted wide attention. Conservative estimates a week after the show were that sales totaled \$1,000,000. Last January 3700 merchants attended. This season preparations are being made for 1500.

It is becoming the custom for other shoe centers to send their exhibitors to the St. Louis show. Nearly 800 representatives of that many lines of shoes have reserved space for their wares, which will be displayed at the leading hotels.

Forty models will display the latest fashions as they parade along a 4000 footway. Vaudeville entertainers will furnish a part of the program. A new feature of the gathering this year will be the simultaneous convention of the Southwest Shoe Retailers' Convention.

CORRUPTING MINORS CHARGED TO DEACON

GARY (Ind.) Dec. 6.—Ora Cadwallader of the First Christian Church, Hammond, in the County Jail at Crown Point charged with contributing to the delinquency of minors. Besides being deacon of the church, Cadwallader is the teacher of a girls' Sunday-school class. It was as a result of his actions with three of his pupils that he was arrested on a warrant sworn out by Mrs. Lucille Meyers, juvenile officer. Cadwallader is 42 years of age. He has been dismissed from the church board.

RETURNED TO SAN JOSE

SAN JOSE, Dec. 6.—Arrested in Los Angeles on the charge of stealing an automobile of J. Cameron of Sunnyvale, Bernice Gibson, Herman Piper and Lawrence Richter, have been returned to this city where they are occupying quarters in the County Jail.

ARMY TRAINING IN SCHOOLS HIT

Policy Held Violation of
American Ideal

Statement Signed by People
in High Positions

Jingoistic Notions Result,
Asserts Pamphlet

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—The present tendency toward military training in educational institutions was assailed here tonight in a joint statement bearing the signatures of a distinguished group of churchmen, educators, public officials and laymen.

"Military training should not be permitted in any high school," the statement said, and "it never should be made compulsory in colleges and universities." It was declared "the American people were unaware to what extent the War Department is fostering the military spirit in schools, in contravention to American ideals."

The statement appeared in the form of a foreword to a pamphlet on militarism, written by Winthrop D. Lane of New York. The signers included: Senators Borah of Idaho; Norris of Nebraska; La Follette of Wisconsin, and Shipstead of Minnesota; Robert Stephen S. Wise of New York; Bishop Francis J. McConnell of the Methodist Episcopal Church; Presidents MacCracken of Vassar, Leavelle of Beloit and Wolley of Mt. Holyoke; Representatives Huddleston of Alabama and Nelson of Wisconsin; Jane Addams, Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, John Brophy, the Pennsylvania labor leader; Samuel McCrea Cavert, general secretary of the Federal Council of Churches; James Walden Johnson, secretary of the Association for the Advancement of Colored People; Oswald Garrison Villard, the editor, and many others.

"It would be a tragedy," said the statement, "if at the very moment when such enemies as France and Germany are outlawing war against each other, the military spirit should assert itself in the United States."

"At the very least military training should be rigidly excluded from high schools," it does not provide the best form of physical training. It does not teach constructive citizenship; if successful, it tends to impart aggressive, even jingoistic notions.

"We are convinced that it is alien to the best interests of our universities and to the highest ideals of learning that the War Department should be given so much power, and military training so much place as it now has, in our college world."

WAR DEPARTMENT BACK OF TRAINING PROGRAM

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—All corps commanders of the Army were notified in an official communication today that the War Department stands squarely in favor of military training for the greatest possible number of students considering available personnel, funds and equipment.

The communication resulted from nervous inquiries sent to the department regarding compulsory military training in schools and universities of the United States, and the methods to be followed to combat the movement being made to eliminate compulsory military instruction in these institutions.

The War Department's stand is based upon plans for national defense made pursuant to the National Defense Act which in turn is based on the "Constitutional principles of common defense," the order stated.

"The successful application of the principles of common defense can only be assured when every citizen, including students in universities and colleges, realizes his obligation under the adopted policy, is acquainted with the War Department plans to execute said policy, and is prepared to play his part in these plans. The principle of common defense and the adopted system under which it is carried out are not new, as they have existed in America since the earliest colonial days."

WAIFS DIE IN STREETS OF RUSSIA

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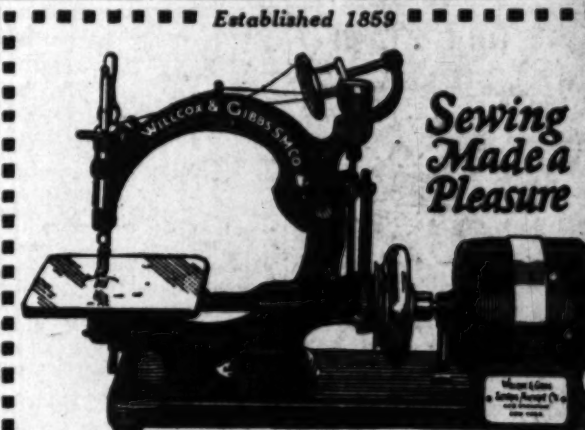
(BY CABLE-EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH)

MOSCOW, Dec. 6.—Homeless children have become the burning topic of the soviet press since the sudden cold wave changed the slow misery of these waifs to a sharp fight with death. In the last week early morning snow-scraps—the municipal law requires that everyone shall keep the sidewalks free from snow—reported finding children frozen stiff beside the opening of ventilating pipes from furnaces or heated interiors where they had crept vainly to seek warmth.

The newspapers are flooded with letters from all parts of the country offering advice, money and shelter, even reproaches against "this shame upon our Socialist State."

Lenin's sister, Mary Ulanovna, one of the editors of the Pravda, gratified all parts of the Communist party, publishes a touching appeal for funds. Last Wednesday Lenin's widow, Krupskaya, wrote a vigorous article for the Pravda criticizing the Ministers of Education for its failure to handle the problem in the right way.

The educational authorities, who said, protect themselves behind the argument that the children's homes are already ordered to the limit, that the discipline therein is now established after great difficulty and would be upset by a fresh influx from the streets and, finally, that the age limit of the homes is 15 years, whereas the leading spirit of the gangs of homeless children are often two or three years older.



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Papers Appeal for Aid

(BY CABLE-EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH)

MOSCOW, Dec. 6.—Homeless children have become the burning topic of the soviet press since the sudden cold wave changed the slow misery of these waifs to a sharp fight with death. In the last week early morning snow-scraps—the municipal law requires that everyone shall keep the sidewalks free from snow—reported finding children frozen stiff beside the opening of ventilating pipes from furnaces or heated interiors where they had crept vainly to seek warmth.

The newspapers are flooded with letters from all parts of the country offering advice, money and shelter, even reproaches against "this shame upon our Socialist State."

Lenin's sister, Mary Ulanovna, one of the editors of the Pravda, gratified all parts of the Communist party, publishes a touching appeal for funds. Last Wednesday Lenin's widow, Krupskaya, wrote a vigorous article for the Pravda criticizing the Ministers of Education for its failure to handle the problem in the right way.

The educational authorities, who said, protect themselves behind the argument that the children's homes are already ordered to the limit, that the discipline therein is now established after great difficulty and would be upset by a fresh influx from the streets and, finally, that the age limit of the homes is 15 years, whereas the leading spirit of the gangs of homeless children are often two or three years older.

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Notre Dame to Play U.S.C. Here Next Year

SPORTS

The Los Angeles Times

MONDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 7, 1925.

HUSKIES TURN DOWN PASADENA GAME

GRANGE TEAM IS VICTORIOUS

Goal of 65,000 See Bears Beat New Yorkers

Former Illinois Star Scores One Touchdown

He Wins \$30,000 for His Afternoon's Play

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DOEG FEATURES TENNIS TOURNAMENT

Santa Monica Star Collects Two Championships

Is Finalist in Two Events to be Played Off

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GIVING THE SOCCER BUGS A THRILL

Here are two scenes taken at the soccer double-header yesterday at Loyola Field. In the upper picture from left to right are shown Winckel, inside-right of the Sons of St. George team and Slavov, center-forward of the same team. Below Ivan Southern, Sons' goalie, and one of the best goal-tenders in the business. Is shown clearing a high one from Harry Elliott.



U.S.C. Gets Tie for Third in Coast Circuit

BY BRAVEN DYER

Pull up a chair and cast your eyes over the final standings of football teams in the Pacific Coast Conference given in another column and you will note that the University of Southern California eleven finished in a tie for third place. The Trojans won three conference games and lost two, which gives them exactly the same percentage as that credited to the Oregon Aggies, who were bumped off, 25 to 0, here Saturday.

It is odd that the team last year finished with a better percentage than this season's outfit, even though the 1925 eleven stands higher in the ratings than Elmer Henderson's charges.

Team Won Lost Tied P.C.

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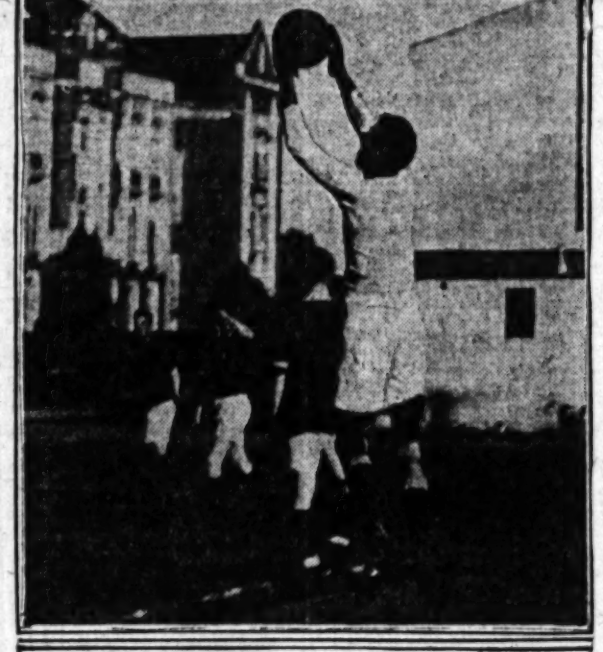
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Washington 3 1 1 .750

U.S.C. 3 1 0 .667

Idaho 4 2 0 .667

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How Elevens of Conference Wind Up Year

Final Standings of Coast Conference

Washington 5 0 0 1.000

Stanford 4 1 0 .800

Oregon Aggies 3 2 0 .600

U. S. C. 3 2 0 .600

California 3 2 0 .600

Idaho 3 3 0 .500

Washington State 2 3 0 .400

Montana 1 4 0 .200

Oregon 0 5 0 .000

Games Saturday

U.S.C. vs St. Mary's at Coliseum.

Southern California

Southern Cal. 74 Whittier 0

Southern Cal. 32 Caltech 0

Southern Cal. 80 Pomona 0

Southern Cal. 28 Utah 0

Southern Cal. 9 Stanford 13

Southern Cal. 54 Arizona 7

Southern Cal. 51 Idaho 9

Southern Cal. 28 Santa Clara 9

Southern Cal. 27 Montana 17

Southern Cal. 18 Iowa 0

Southern Cal. 12 Wash. State 7

Southern Cal. 28 Aggies 0

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WASHINGTON DECIDES AGAINST GRID CLASSIC

Only Small Majority of Players Favor Playing So Board of Control Takes Action

(BY A. F. NIGHT WIRE)

SEATTLE (Wash.) Dec. 6.—The University of Washington football team, which won the Pacific Coast Conference championship this year, is not to represent the Pacific Coast in the annual gridiron classic at Pasadena, Cal., on New Year's university here today.

IRISH GRIDS HERE NEXT DECEMBER

Local Football Eleven in Return Game Following Year at South Bend

(EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH)

SOUTH BEND (Ind.) Dec. 6.—Notre Dame will play the University of Southern California in California the first Saturday in December next season, it was announced at the annual football banquet here tonight. Southern California will come east the following year. The varsity and freshman squads of this university and alumni attended the banquet.

MERCURY GRID TEAM TO PLAY GOB SQUAD

The newly organized Los Angeles Athletic Club football team will play the U.S. Idaho eleven at Wrigley Park next Sunday. Yesterday the Idaho won a 13-to-0 victory over the Loma team.

SIKI LOSSES VERDICT TO NEW YORK COPPER

(BY A. F. NIGHT WIRE)

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Battling Siki, former world's light-heavyweight champion, was fined \$5 in Police Court today after a policeman had knocked him out. Siki was saved from a workhouse sentence by his wife, who pleaded with Magistrate Wall for leniency.

SCOTS OVERCOME LEAD TO NOSE OUT VIKES SOCCERITES

Playing excellent soccer and fully deserving of the win the Scots came from behind to defeat the Vikings, 3 to 2, at Loyola Field yesterday afternoon. There have been many exciting games at Loyola this season, but it is doubtful if there have been any that for thrilling moments compared with the match between these teams yesterday.

START MOVEMENT TO KEEP GRID COACHES OFF BENCH

(BY A. F. NIGHT WIRE)

MIDDLETON (Cal.) Dec. 6.—A committee of college undergraduates reporting to student representatives of twenty-seven colleges here today recommended that the colleges of the country try play only four intercollegiate football games each year and these only with teams in their own class. The report was made at a session of the intercollegiate parley on education at Wesleyan University.

GOODRICH, KANSAS FIGHT FOR CROWN

(BY A. F. NIGHT WIRE)

BUFFALO (N. Y.) Dec. 6.—On the eve of their championship lightweight battle here, Jimmy Goodrich, the title-holder, and Rocky Kansas, veteran challenger, each professed complete confidence in the outcome.

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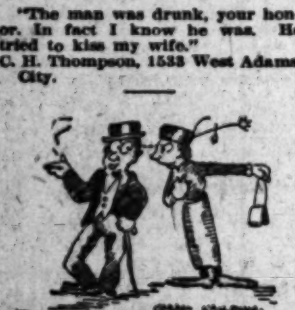
A CHUCKLE FOR EVERYBODY

LOCAL LAUGHS

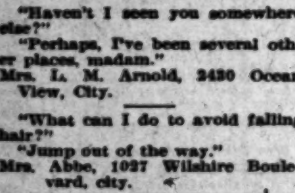
Each week The Times produces a film entitled "Local Laughs," consisting of the funniest jokes submitted by local people. Weekly prizes are paid of \$5, \$10, and twenty of \$1 each. A list of theaters showing the film, together with prizes for submitting jokes, are given daily in a column in The Times. Prize-winning jokes, and names and addresses of winners, appear only on the screen. Jokes receiving honorable mention will be given a place of honor on The Times comic page each week-day, and each of these contributors will receive a special acknowledgment.



"My wife saved me from being robbed."
"How?"
"She had taken the money out of my trousers before the burglar got in."
E. Lawton, 1964 La France avenue, South Pasadena.



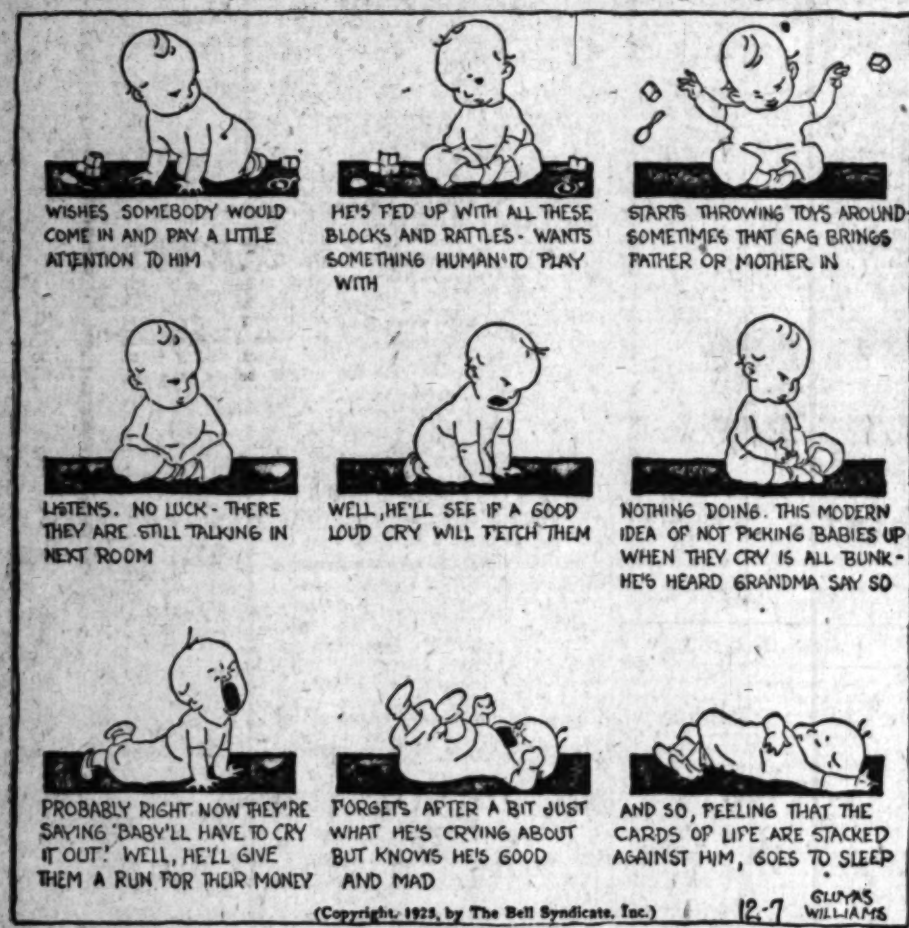
"The man was drunk, your honor, in fact I know he was. He tried to kiss my wife."
C. H. Thompson, 1555 West Adams, City.



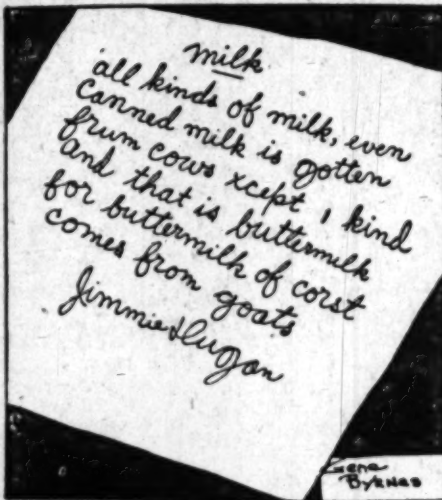
"Haven't I seen you somewhere else?"
"Perhaps, I've been several other places, madam."
Mrs. L. M. Arnold, 5430 Ocean View, City.

"What can I do to avoid falling hair?"
"Jump out of the way."
Mrs. Abbe, 1027 Wilshire Boulevard, City.

Snapshots of a Baby Wanting Company



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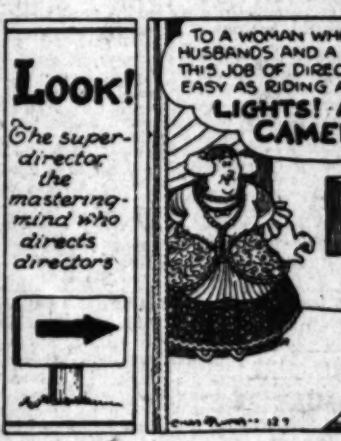
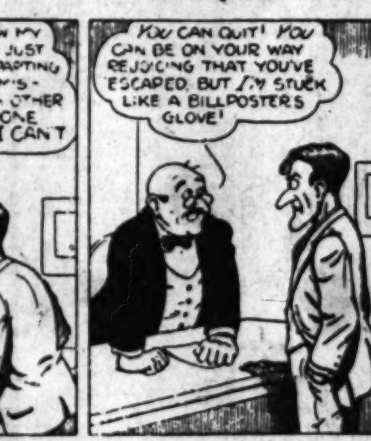
Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star



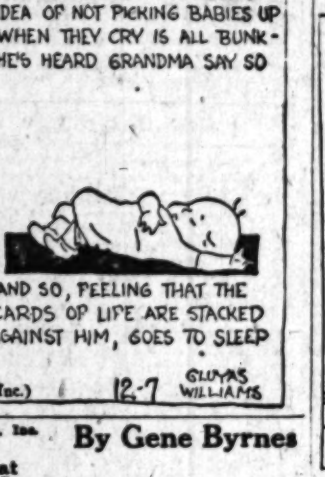
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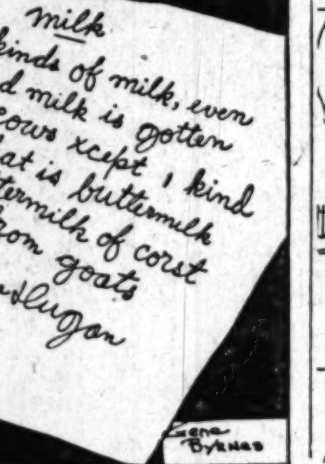
WINNIE WINKLE, THE BREADWINNER



By Gene Byrnes



MINUTE MOVIES



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Attack by Fascists
Sirs Austrians
Protection Asked in
Tyrolian Section

Trouble Described as of
Gravest Nature

THE ABSENCE OF CHANCELLOR
and Foreign Minister Ma-
Governa makes immediate
by the Austrian party un-
the leaders of Austria's
naval reserve forces are pre-
to dismiss their political
in order to unite
the menace of the Italian
army.

INNESBRUCK'S demand for armed
force follows a serious inci-
dent in a little village named Hall.
Twenty Fascist troops at-
tempted to raid and forcibly
a man who had been ar-
rested as a Fascist spy.
The Fascist troops, the Fas-
cist Hall from the Italian
army in daylight in a motor
and tried to force the hall
army to retreat in a
battered condition after a
battle, wherein the situa-
tion was the help of the lo-
cal police.

VIENNA paper Abend-
to declare the incident wa-
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number, and has since care-
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Innesbruck's appeal for
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OF MAN'S CHILDREN

EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH
WATERBURY, Dec. 6. - All the
sons of the late Rudolph Carl
pioneer Milwaukee meat
man will share equally in his
estate of \$200,000 by virtue of a
will handed down yesterday
by the late Rudolph Carl.
The will was declared to be
mentally incompetent be-
cause executed four weeks after
he had been declared to be
mentally incompetent.

VALERINO BOYCOTT

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WATERBURY, Dec. 6. - A movement is
being organized to boycott Valerino
because of his action in seeking
to become an American citizen.
The boycott is being organized
by an angry correspondent
who declares it is the duty
of Americans to remain away from
a picture theater showing
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RICHES HIT AS CRIME CAUSE

Rabbi Wise Says America Too Drunk With Prosperity to Pay Attention to Morals

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Rabbi Stephen S. Wise spoke today before the congregation of the Free Synagogue in Carnegie Hall on "How Shall the Crime Wave be Stayed."

He discussed morals, laws, business and education, pointing out "certain fundamental things that must be done if the situation is not to become worse and get out of control."

"There are two real ways to suppress crime," Dr. Wise said. "They are the moral, spiritual re-education of all the people; the raising of our standards of morality so high that departure from them will not be mere criminality, but the lessening of an ideal."

America, he said, is so drunk with prosperity that nobody cares very much how things are being done. Moral standards in the United States are lowered and vitiated.

"We are no longer concerned about them," he said.

IMMIGRANT NEGLECTED
"The notion that business is not an honest affair is one of the things that makes for crime," he asserted. "The immigrant has not received a square deal in America. The poor get law and the rich get lawyers."

Furnishment deals with the individual, when in many cases the groups should be summoned to the bar of justice, Rabbi Wise said, adding:

"The trouble is not with the abnormal, but with the normal of our social order," and that "our educational system is a survival of another day, a prehistoric day. We must banish it and face the truth."

In support of his charge that the country is stupefied by prosperity into a condition of apathy, Dr. Wise cited the situation brought about by the coal strike.

"Instead of a searching analytical intelligent investigation into crime causes being made," Rabbi Wise concluded, "we are going off half-cocked."

PULL UP ROOTS
"We must eradicate the roots from which spring our lowered standards of life and our false standards of education. What is needed today is moral re-education for all. There is not one in a thousand nowadays who wakens or cares whether our national prosperity rests on a morally sound basis and can be ethically sanctioned and questioned."

"How are we educating our children today? We are not educating them for life. We are educating them as of 1881 and 1781, teaching the child to memorize, not to think."

Old Astrologer
Ordered to Pay
in Slander Suit

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Napoleon St. Pierre, aged astrologer and creator of the internationally famous "Mystery House and Gardens" on Marine Drive here, will pay \$500 to his neighbor, William Henry Wilkins, a restaurant proprietor for slander.

This Justice Murphy decided in the Supreme Court after a trial that opened the wounds of the two aggrieved men, suffered almost five years ago. At that time the astrologer's house was destroyed by fire and gossip, according to the evidence, associated Wilkins with the conflagration.

Last summer two American women tourists inquired of Napoleon the meaning of a peculiar looking illustration seen on the wall of his house. "That," Napoleon said, "is the picture of the fire demon who burned down my house," and court upheld the contention that the astrologer pointed to Wilkins across the way as the man.

SCENIC MOUNTAIN
RAILROAD PLANNED

VANCOUVER (B. C.) Dec. 6.—The first mountain railway to be built in this Province for scenic purposes only, will soon be started on the side of Grouse Mountain opposite this city. Nearly ten miles of electric cable line will be built up the face of the mountain in easy stages, with no more than a 10 per cent grade at any point. Leading citizens are preparing to erect a chalet and observatory on the top of this mountain which is 3800 feet high. A motor road is now being built on this hill that overlooks the city and harbor.

SPECIAL TRAINS FOR
RECRUITS PROVIDED

SAN ANTONIO (Tex.) Dec. 6.—Riding on special trains because impassable roads prevented use of motor transports, 501 recruits who had arrived at Galveston, Tex., on the Army Transport Chateau Thierry, were detained here and taken to Fort Sam Houston. The remainder of recruits coming to the corps area were sent out by special trains to Fort Bliss and Fort Bliss with a few going on the regular trains to Fort Brown and Fort Ringgold.

Force of Habit

A span of horses which performed and walked in a circus ten years ago were recently recovered by their present owner, Albert French, of Freedom, N. H., after they had followed a traveling show's music wagon several miles. When found, the horses were kept step to the music. They reluctantly left with their master for home.—[Indiana News]

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Dry League of State Chooses Angeleno Head

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 6.—Former Representative Charles H. Randall, joint author of the Eighteenth Amendment and nationally known as a prohibition advocate, today was elected president of the State Law Enforcement League.

Mr. Randall fills the vacancy created last June by the resignation of Edwin E. Grant. The new president is a Councilman of the city of Los Angeles. The announcement was made at his home but both dog and girl are suffering from severe burns.

Six Owe Lives to Barking of Family's Pet

VANCOUVER (B. C.) Dec. 6.—Mrs. J. Sedrovich of Fernie, B. C., and her five children owe their lives to their dog that barked and aroused them during the night to find the house in flames.

A few minutes after the family escaped, Mary, one of the daughters, rushed back into the very heart of the blaze to rescue the family pet, overcome by smoke after performing his duty. She got him out but both dog and girl are suffering from severe burns.

Kipling Makes Further Gains in Life Battle

BURBANK (Eng.) Dec. 6.—Rudyard Kipling spent a good night. The improvement noted in his condition yesterday continues, although as is to be expected, the pneumonic areas in the bronchi persist.

The attending physicians, who include Lord Dawson, physician to the King, are very watchful of the symptoms in the case and they have expressed confidence in his ultimate recovery.

WILDS BOARS MENACE TOWN BURIED IN SNOW

BRUSSELS, Dec. 6.—The village of Felaine, twenty miles from Namur, is buried under snowdrifts and also besieged by wild boars who, in a famished condition, have attacked villagers who attempted to procure assistance.

NEW CONCERN FORMED
PHOENIX, Dec. 6.—The West Coast Transport and Service Company has been incorporated here by C. D. Stephens and Evan D. Peterson of Miami, and Eugene F. Rapier of Phoenix, with capital stock of \$1,000,000. It will operate service stations, camp grounds, hotels, stores and garages.

Nevada Revokes Sixty Licenses for Auto Stages

CARSON CITY (Nev.) Dec. 6.—The hammer of the Nevada Public Service Commission has fallen heavily on motor stage companies failing to comply with its orders. Permits granted to sixty companies, including several operating in the southern counties, have been revoked and owners instructed not to attempt further business.

These companies are accused of failing to furnish satisfactory bonds, and neglect to file proper schedules of rates and service.

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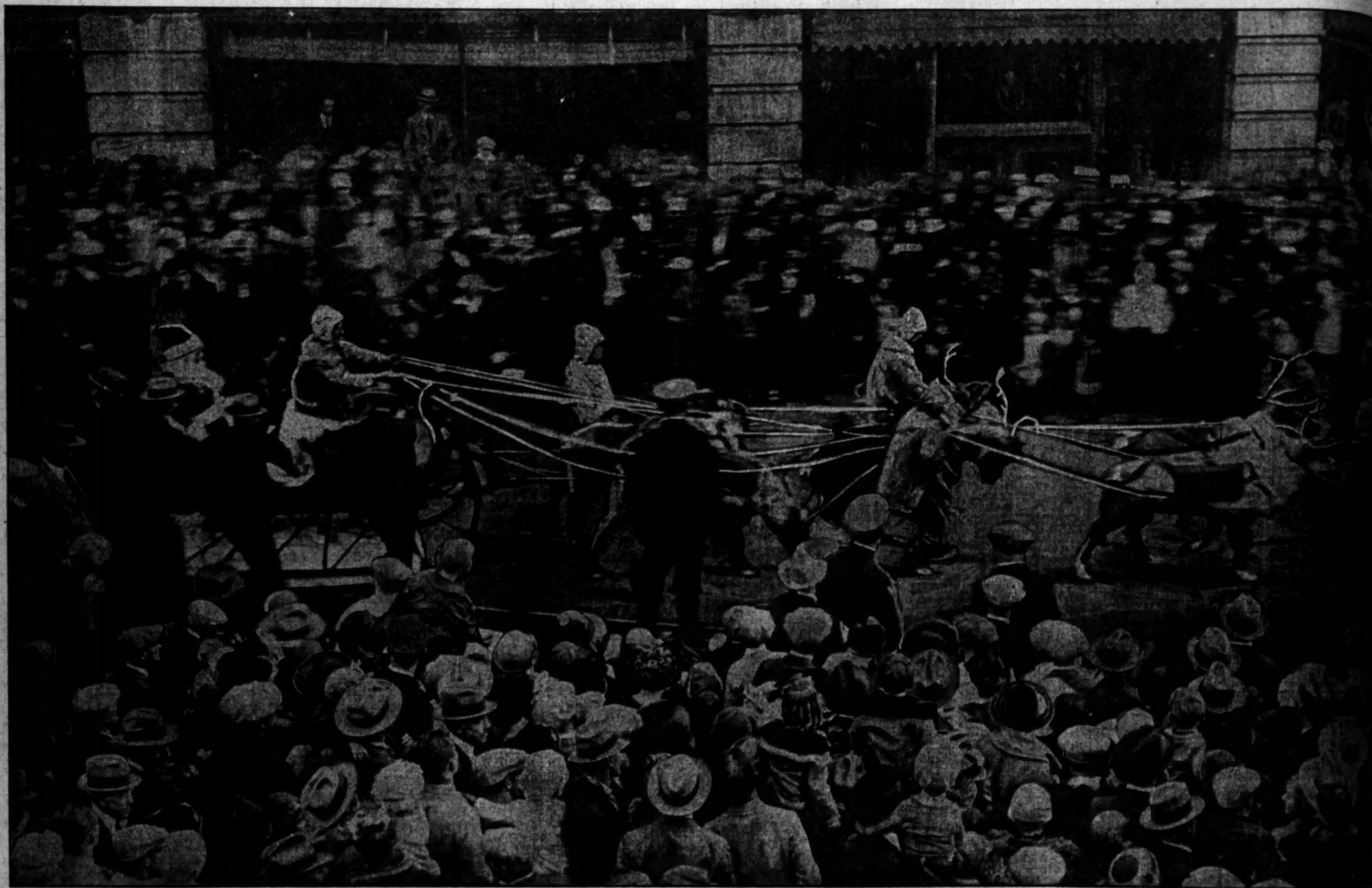
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LANKERSHIM—Valley Auto Co., 5410 Lankershim Blvd.
LONG BEACH—Long Beach Motor Sales Co., 535 Locust Ave.
LONG BEACH—Richey Motors, Inc., 403 E. Anaheim.
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- EAST LONG BEACH—Richey Motors, Inc., Third St. at Olive.
MONTEBELLO—H. Gail Kreib, 1644 S. Western Ave.
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POMONA—Stanford Newton, 395 E. Second St.
REDONDO BEACH—Zeller-Stillie Motors, 114 So. Catalina.
SAN FERNANDO—Valley Auto Co., 215 Chatterbox Drive.
SAN PEDRO—Rosenfeld & Morehead, 441 Sixth St.
SANTA MONICA—Ramsberg Motor Co., 1225 Santa Monica Blvd.
SAWTELLE—Ramsberg Motor Co., 11677 Santa Monica Blvd.
VAN NUYS—Valley Auto Co., 180 Sherman Way.
VENICE—Ramsberg-Smith Motor Co., 1335 Washington Blvd.
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WHITTIER—Bert Leslie, 137 N. Greenleaf Ave.
WILMINGTON—Rosenfeld & Morehead, 440 Canal St.

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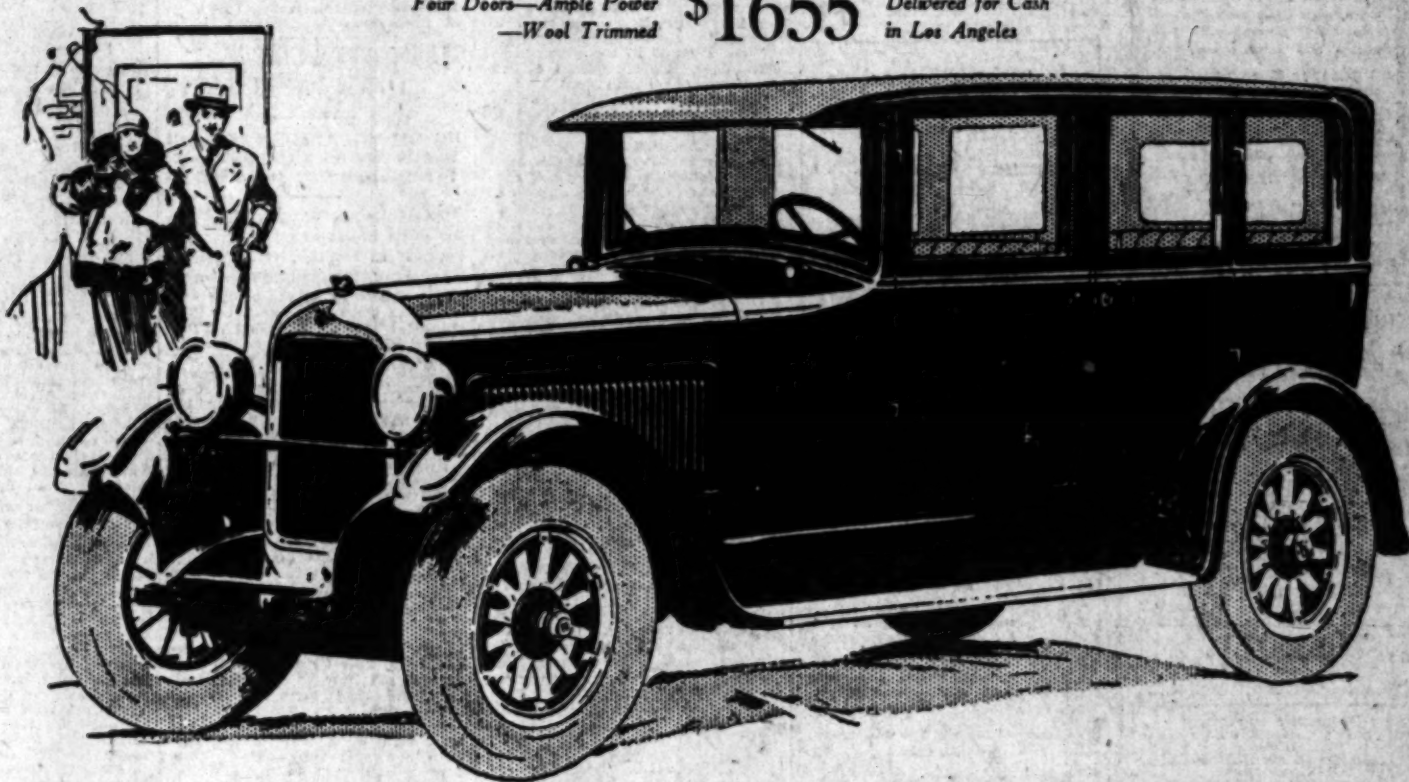
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**TURKEY THROWS
DEFY AT LEAGUE**

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*Term Stand on Sovereignty
in Mosul Taken*

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Maintain World Court Role That of Mediator

by the Council of the League Nations which involves any abandonment of Turkish sovereignty—such a proposal was short-

World Court of Justice, Turkey is convinced that the Council's role in the controversy is that

disprudence based on justice and equity," said the Turkish representative. "Even the League commission which went to Mosul re-

which is under the mandate Great Britain. The Turkish people will never stand for this, and would never dare to go home

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BANDITS TAKEN IN GUN FIGHT
Brothers, Charged With Variety of Crimes, Attempt to Shoot Way to Freedom When Trapped
[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 6.—Two young bandits—brothers—sought throughout the West for crimes ranging from attempted murder to automobile thefts tried to shoot their way to freedom after being trapped by a posse of twelve officers in a San Leandro home, on the outskirts of Oakland.
The fugitives, Harry Bridges, 27, and his brother, Edward, 24, were captured after a sensational running gun fight in which nearly 100 shots were exchanged. They are now in the Alameda County Jail. Carrie M. Bridges, sister of the men, also was taken into custody. None of the shots took effect.
The identity of the men was suspected when they were seen shortly before noon to enter the home of C. L. Best.
Marshall Peralta elected to call reserves to effect the capture. A guard was thrown around the house and Peralta then knooked at the front entrance. The brothers bolted through the rear door, disregarding the shotguns in the hands of the two officers.
Although covered and but a few feet away from the muzzle of the shotgun, Edward reached for his revolver, but realized the futility of his efforts and put his arms in the air in surrender.
Harry has warlike intentions. He admitted that if the Council's decision is against Turkey, Great Britain will possess the advantage of being in military occupation of Mosul. But he added:
"We are there, too," and continued:
"That, however, does not mean that peace cannot continue for some time to come."
Too Bad
"I hear that you have lost your valuable dog, Mr. Bowers," said a sympathetic friend.
"Yes, in a railway accident. I was saved, but the dog wasn't," replied Bowers.
"Goodness! What a pity!" [Exchange].
FAMOUS OLD COACHING HOUSE
Built in 1850, and once a famous coaching house, the Old Bear's Head in Withy Grove, one of Manchester's oldest hostels, has closed its doors. The premises have been acquired by a neighboring bank.
In 1889 the Football League was founded at a meeting there, and Manchester City Football Club was also established there.
The house was crowded up to the last minute, and one of the oldest customers made a valdictory speech.—[Vancouver Province].
The metal shoe-heel plate used to prevent "run-over" heels, brought its inventor almost \$100,000, whereas the metal toe plate netted its inventor \$75,000.

Depositions of Arizona Folk in Crabtree Suit
[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]
TUCSON (Ariz.) Dec. 6.—The appeal of Carlotta Cockburn of San Gabriel, Cal., to the Supreme Court of Massachusetts, recently submitted, is of keen interest in Tucson, where Mrs. Cockburn resided for most of her life. She asserts she is the sole heir-at-law of Lotta Crabtree, famous actress, who left her large fortune entirely to charity. Mrs. Cockburn's attorney is John H. Wright of Tucson, United States Attorney for Arizona, who has sixty-three depositions from witnesses who know Jack Crabtree, asserted to have been a brother of the actress and father of the claimant. That Crabtree was married in Tombstone is attested by depositions of a half-dozen witnesses who were intimately acquainted with him, his wife and the child.
FIFI FIGHT MOTHS
There has been a great deal of interest in the efforts to adapt the fly parasites taken to Fiji from Surabaya to cope with the dreaded moth, the levana iridescent. The second generation of flies is breeding and more than 1250 eggs are already available. There seems now to be no doubt as to the success of the experiment.
The clerid beetles, also brought from Malaya, have been transferred to an affected estate in the north portion of Viti Levu, and these will prove an active enemy of the moth and a valuable auxiliary to the fly.
The levana iridescent, a species of moth, preys on coconut trees. In Fiji it is regarded as a serious pest, because one of the staple industries of these islands is the export of copra—the broken, sundried kernel of coconut.—[Vancouver Province].

Canadians Form Order to Make Antidrug Drive
[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]
VANCOUVER (B. C.) Dec. 6.—A. B. Hall of this city, Supreme Dictator of the International Order of Crusaders, is in Winnipeg organizing an extensive antidrug campaign.
Winnipeg has been chosen as the center from which to conduct what is termed "the most aggressive campaign against narcotic drugs ever undertaken in the prairie provinces."
The Crusaders have been organized, it is said, with the express purpose of combating the dope evil, and Hall is now in the prairie city establishing the order there.
In Confidence
It was a hot day and the traffic policeman was having a busy time. In the midst of it he saw an elderly woman looking across at him, so he held up a bus, four cars, a motorcycle or two, and two loaded trucks.
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"It's all right," she said. "I only thought you'd like to know that the number on your collar is the number of my favorite hymn."—[Exchange].
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Now, while the world seems new and wonderful, is the time for your children to be learning. Now they will learn gladly, easily; you know how eager and alive their minds are, how open to receive the great truths of knowledge. But they need help and encouragement. Not only the five hours out of the twenty-four that are spent in school—but every hour of the day must count in the all-around education of your child.
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Last-Minute News From Petroleum Fields and Marts of Trade

OLD EUREKA TO BE DEWATERED

Famous Gold Producer Will be Revived

Capital Increased as Part of Program

Property Formerly Owned by Hetty Green

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 6.—De-

watering and comprehensive development of the old Eureka mine, one of the oldest gold producers in California, are to be immediately undertaken by the Central Eureka Company at Sutter Creek. Capitalization of the Central Eureka has been increased from \$100,000 to \$400,000, and arrangements made for new work in the Central Eureka mine, for several years a consistent dividend distributor. The Old Eureka was acquired about a year ago. For many years it was owned by the late Hetty Green, noted woman capitalist of New York.

The Silver King Divide Company of Nevada, has announced abandonment of the Geraldine mine, near Sonora. The company says a heavy flow of water on the lower levels requires installation of pumping and electrical equipment costing \$50,000, and that the price asked by the owners does not warrant further work at the expense of the Silver King Divide.

Unity Trinity Mines Company, operating the noted Bonanza King and Bonanza Queen, gold groups near Trinity Center, has laid in supplies, including five tons of dynamite, for steady winter operation. The properties are located at an altitude of 5500 feet, with some of the workings over 6000 feet high. Five inches of snow are on the ground and the property will be snowbound shortly. The management states development continues satisfactory with much good ore in sight. Southern California capital is chiefly interested. Trinity Mines, Inc., controlled by Los Angeles, San Francisco and eastern capitalists, has started the largest hydraulic-mining enterprise in the West near the old camp of Mizerville, Trinity county. Working the old Beaudry properties, the company has commenced mining of an old river channel a half-mile wide, 100 feet deep and several miles long. The hydraulic equipment is of unusual size, using a six-inch nozzle and operating under water pressure of 250 pounds to the square inch, with the water falling 500 feet from the reservoir. The flume is 850 feet long and sufficient water is reported available to insure steady operation until March. April. Thirty men are steadily employed.

INVESTIGATE OIL SANDS

New Process of "Cracking" Worked Out for California Deposits

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—

The Bureau of Mines is carrying on investigations of the oil bearing sands found in large quantities in Santa Cruz, San Luis Obispo and Santa Barbara counties. A new process of "cracking" has been worked out by which it is believed that these sands can be made to yield their natural tars and oils on a commercial scale. The Bureau says in its annual report.

In its investigation and work in the California oil fields the Bureau of Mines has come to the conclusion, printed in its annual report, issued today "probably nowhere in the world are workers about oil wells better safeguarded by mechanical devices than in California."



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MEXICAN FIELD STORES UP OIL

Tampico Reserves Increased by New Wells

Pan-American 50,000-Barrel Gusher Reported

Companies Complete 115 New Holes in Two Months

BY JACK STARR-HUNT

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 6.—The

Pan American Eastern Petroleum Company continues to pile up reserve production in both the light and heavy oil districts of Tampico. Within the past several days 60,000 barrels of light oil has been added to the existing 1,000,000 barrels of light oil, while the 8000-barrel completion of Chapachach No. 48 brings the total crude reserve to probably 65,000 barrels a day. Present withdrawals of the company are averaging 44,000 barrels of light and 41,000 barrels of heavy oil daily.

Of the new light oil reserve,

50,000 barrels come from Tierra Blanca No. 53, brought in at a depth of 2135 feet. This is considered shallow for this pool, and is the largest well brought in to the republic for a number of months. The other 10,000 barrels come from well No. 56 in the same district.

PAN AMERICAN AT WORK

At present the Pan American is running nineteen strings of tools. Six of these are in the light-oil region; one in Cadano; two each in Cerro Azul and Tierra Blanca, and one in La Laja. In addition, there are two strings in other locations and a fifth location cleared.

NEW PRODUCTION

The Mexican Seaboard Oil Company got 34,000 barrels new production out of four producers. Las Piedras No. 2 accounted for 25,000 barrels. This well opened up considerable new territory and is actually gauging the estimated initial production. The other 9000 barrels came from three wells in Cadano.

The Transcontinental Petroleum Company (Standard of New Jersey) drilled nineteen wells, getting but 4200 barrels production with the exception of dry holes. The Mexican Eagle, drilling four wells in the Tampico district, got two producers for 10,400 barrels production. 10,000 barrels came from No. 24, Cierro Viejo, the first success in this district in nearly eight months.

After two years' campaigning, the National Railways is getting results and its September and October efforts were the most successful in the republic. Of six wells drilled, five were successful for 18,000 barrels, mostly along the right of way between Tampico and San Luis Potosi, offsetting holdings of the Pan American and Transcontinental.

UNITED OIL SILENT ON SHOWINGS

Company is Setting Pipe at 4000 Feet in Test on Lease

TAFT, Dec. 6.—On the

United States government lease in Sec. 32, 33-34, north edge of Elk Hills, the United Oil Company, having cored continuously to just below 4000 feet, is setting pipe and is not as free with reports of formation showings, causing adjacent operators to think something has shown. Down to that depth no live oil sand had showed. Four hundred feet east of the United's location the North Elk Oil Company, after a suspension of several weeks, is starting to set pipe for a water test at around 3500 feet, where a good body of live oil sand was drilled through. Bottom of hole is 3960 feet.

Nearly two miles east,

the Charles Deering Trust is ready to make a production test at between 3500 and 3600 feet, after a test for water about a live oil sand having been found.

Along the west line of Sec. 36,

the Gross Drilling Company is in the last stage of completion of its No. 2, just below 3800 feet, is drilling. Offsetting Gross No. 1 on the south, the Union Oil Company is due for completion after a long delay, and the Pacific Oil Company is due for completion after a long delay.

DRILLING WORK DELAYED

HOLBROOK (Ariz.) Dec. 6.—

For several months past, work at the Adama well has been held up by the jamming of a bulldozer in the casing. This has been shot out of the way by the company, filled with TNT. Below the break is about 900 feet of casing that must be pulled. Then the hole will be cemented, in preparation for deeper drilling.

EMBRYO FIELD GIVEN NAME

Mount Poso to be Official Designation of 10,000 Acres in Leases Held by Shell Oil

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

BAKERSFIELD, Dec. 6.—The Shell Company of California has officially mapped the territory adjacent to Poso Creek, twenty miles north of Bakersfield, as Mount Poso district or oil field. The Shell company has devoted a year or more to plane-tableing, mapping and leasing in that area, having acquired about 10,000 acres of leases there, and now has named the embryo oil field.

BUSINESS PROGRESS FAVORABLE

Developments Outweigh Scattering Irregularities in Trade World

[BY A. P. RYAN WIRE]

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Favorable developments in the business situation that were reported in the outlook for the year, with the stock market recovering its equilibrium, the financial world was restored to a more cheerful frame of mind and it found additional cause for satisfaction in reports from the various industries.

The approach of the holidays has resulted in a sharp expansion in retail sales, with indications that Christmas business will surpass all previous records. Wholesale trade has reflected the usual off-season slackness of activity, but heavy replacement and filling-in orders have held activity in this field at a fairly high level.

Improvement in the basic industries continued without interruption. Steel operations averaged about 85 per cent of capacity, justifying predictions of further increases in production for the remainder of the year. Coincident with gains in the daily production of steel was a corresponding advance in the price of the product was reported.

The movement of revenue freight by the railroads continued at the high levels which have enabled the carriers steadily to expand their operations. All off-season slackness of activity, but heavy replacement and filling-in orders have held activity in this field at a fairly high level.

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WORK BEGUN BY SEVEN TROUGHS

Local Capital Will Develop Nevada Mine

Shaft of Dixie Queen to be Put in Repair

Crews of Men Overhauling, Making Roads

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

RENO (Nev.) Dec. 6.—Preliminary

mining commenced last week on the properties of the Seven Troughs Reorganized Mines Company, near Lovelock, recently acquired by a group of Los Angeles capitalists, headed by M. J. Monahan. The 400-foot shaft of the Dixie Queen mine is being repaired, preparatory to driving of the main crosscut, to reach the principal vein-system, an ad crew of men placed on the roads and overhauling the mill. Over 150,000 is said to be available in the treasury.

Work has been suspended on the Nightingale tungsten mines, west of Lovelock, by the Pacific Smelting and Mining Company, composed largely of Los Angeles, San Francisco and Honolulu residents. The management states ore reserves have been practically exhausted and that no money remains in the treasury to finance further developments.

The Mason Valley Mines Company representing the Mason Valley copper mines of the Nevada Douglas copper Company at the Bluestone concentrator and Thompson smelter. Ore buyers representing the Mason Valley Company are closing contracts for delivery of ore early next year to the smaller from many silver-gold producers, and the plant will probably be blown in before the end of February unless the copper market slumps. The concentrator will go into action within three weeks.

Los Angeles capitalists have rejuvenated the famous old Pine Grove mine, near Yerington, and placed a fifty-ton mill in operation. The property is operated under lease and bond and more reduction units will be installed as developments increase. The Pine Grove ranked among the premier silver-gold producers of Nevada in pioneer times and produced about \$11,000,000 in silver and gold.

Tenopah Mining Company has taken an option on the Noble group at the Nevada project. Los Angeles is buying Fallon trucks heavily, to the great joy of local growers. Approximately 4000 choice trucks were shipped to the California metropolitan area for Thanksgiving, and about 6000 are expected to go out for the Christmas trade. Los Angeles buyers are paying \$8 to \$14 per pound for selected trucks and growers are unable to meet the growing demand. Farm bureau officials estimate fully 40 per cent of the choicest birds will be sold this year to Southern California markets.

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COTTON IN FAILURE TO HOLD OWN

Shows Unsettled Position During Week as Tendency to Drag is Shown

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—The cotton markets have continued in an irregular and unsettled position throughout the week, with the tendency of prices remaining about level to lower levels from the week ending December 5, together with a slight recovery after the middle of the week from the effect of the closing of the futures market.

Prices closed Friday within 10 to 15 points of the low level, with December around 13.50, January and July 13.75. Rallies occurred after the middle of the week from the effect of the closing of the futures market.

The feature of the week has been the appearance of so many private crop estimates raising the figures for the 1925 crop on the indicated yield. The trade therefore has been apprehensive that the government's annual crop estimate at 11 o'clock on Tuesday will be over 15,000,000 bales with an increase in the last estimate of a fortnight ago of 13,200,000 bales.

Most of the recent liquidations has been reducing speculative holdings purchased on the rise, and the last semi-monthly government report put the crop at 15,200,000 bales, or \$3,000 under its previous report, the market seemed to be fairly well evened up to meet the effect of a crop estimate of a little over 15,000,000 bales.

About ten private estimates have been announced the last week averaging 15,350,000 bales. They have ranged between 15,000,000 and 15,600,000 bales, with several around 15,000,000 and two above 15,000,000 bales.

World spinners' takings from August 1 to date total 3,588,000 bales against 3,532,000 last year, while the export movement from August 1 to date totals 3,334,000 bales against 3,488,000 last year.

WEEKLY STOCK RANGE

The public service department of the Merchants National Bank of New York Stock Exchange for the week ending December 6, together with the net changes as compared with the close of the preceding week. (+Gain. -Loss.)

Stock	High	Low	Open	Close	Net Change
Admiral	100	95	98	96	-2
Alcoa	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Can.	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Oil	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Sugar	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Tobacco	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Wire	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Zinc	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Iron	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Steel	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Copper	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Lead	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Tin	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Nickel	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Manganese	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Potash	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Soda	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Phosphate	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Fluorine	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Chlorine	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Bromine	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Iodine	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Selenium	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Tellurium	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Vanadium	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Zirconium	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Niobium	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Molybdenum	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Rhenium	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Ruthenium	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Rhodium	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Palladium	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Silver	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Gold	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Platinum	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Iridium	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Osmium	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Cobalt	100	95	98	96	-2
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Am. Chlorine	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Bromine	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Iodine	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Selenium	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Tellurium	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Vanadium	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Zirconium	100	95	98	96	-2
Am. Niobium	100	95	98	96	-2
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Am. Osmium	100	95	98	96	-2
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SEA YIELDS UP
VICTIM'S BODYFormer Buena Park Citizen's
Death MysteryFoul Play Idea Discounted
by Valuables FoundCorpse Too Far at Sea for
Shore Drowning

Found floating in the ocean about two miles out to sea from Redondo Beach, the body of a man believed to be that of T. R. Tuckett, about 50 years of age, formerly a resident of Buena Park, near Fullerton, presented a mystery to the authorities last night.

The body was seen in the ocean by James Simpson, a Redondo fisherman, who communicated with the Redondo Beach Police Department. Officers brought the body to shore and it was taken to the City Hall morgue.

Investigators found real estate contracts and other papers, which, they said, pointed to the identity of the man. The clothing and a sum of money found on the person indicated that he was in comfortable circumstances.

Several theories were advanced after the finding of the body, but it was admitted that nothing definite could be established until an autopsy had been performed to determine the exact cause of death. The Redondo Beach police asked the Sheriff's office in Los Angeles to try to locate relatives of the man in Buena Park.

Murder, with robbery as a motive, was considered unlikely when approximately \$20 was found in Tuckett's pocket. At the same time the authorities were disinclined to believe that the man had fallen from shore and been blown out to sea, and if he had fallen from a steamer or fishing boat his disappearance would have been reported to the authorities.

**Wife's Suit Says
Courtesy Turned
to Death Threat**

Suave and urbane was Ernest Tortorolo, up to a certain point, his wife, Erminda Tortorolo, asserted in her suit for divorce, filed with the County Clerk.

"Leave by the front or back door, as you choose," he invited her, she said.

But after this point, she related, his fine, old world courtesy bogged down, and when she did not leave, he became brusque.

"Get out by tomorrow night or I will kill you," was his next demand, Mrs. Tortorolo said. So she "got out" and sued him for divorce.

**POLICE AND SAILORS
FIGHT IN CABARET**

Complaints that scores of sailors were "raising the ruck" off a cabaret near First and Spring streets early yesterday morning resulted in fifteen officers of the vice squad being rushed to the scene. Charging down the stairs the officers were met by a score of seamen celebrating "pay day."

For twenty minutes sailors and vice-squad officers charged back and forth across the dance floor, jumped over tables and pranced around before peace was restored. No arrests were made.

Mixed bathing to encourage marriages and increase the birth rate is advocated by M. Rene Friquet, member of the Paris Municipal Council.

One Killed, Another Injured in Air Fatality

Drops Several Thousand Feet
Wreckage left after fatal fall from air.RESUME GAS
RATES CASE
TOMORROWEvidence Will be Given
in Support of Increase
Asked of Commission

The gas rate increase hearing will be resumed at 10 a.m. tomorrow before State Railroad Commissioners Seavey and Decoto. It will continue until Wednesday evening. This session is expected to have to do with the hearing of evidence as to why the Southern California Gas Company is petitioning for higher rates. Some further evidence may be presented by the Los Angeles Gas and Electric Corporation in its case for increased charges.

Later, possibly sometime in January, the city, which is opposing the rate increase proposal, will put forth its side of the situation and will cross-examine witnesses who have testified on behalf of the Los Angeles and Southern California companies and also for the Midway Gas Company, a wholesaler.

The petition of the Southern California Gas Company to abandon plans for manufacturing gas and to contract with the Los Angeles corporation for artificial gas also is before the commission in this case.

WORLD TOURISTS TO
LEAVE HERE SOON

According to telegraphic advices received by the D. F. Robertson Travel Bureau, more than 1000 persons will sail from Los Angeles Harbor during the next sixty days on a cruise around the world. The S.S. Belgeland will sail the 11th inst. with 450 passengers, S.S. President Polk, the 14th inst. with 125 passengers; S.S. President Adams, the 20th inst. with 100 passengers; February 5, S.S. Lacombe, 700 passengers and S.S. Resolute, February 8, with 450 passengers.

Super-radios in
Foreign Designs
Displayed Here

The super-radios of the Zenith Radio Corporation of Chicago, in Chinese, English and Italian designs, were displayed to dealers of this city yesterday in the Alexandria. The new models, featuring one knob control, with their mechanism inclosed in a copper shield to prevent the intrusion of foreign noises, during reception, have a special Zenith circuit with ten tubes.

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ADVERTISING CLUB TO
HEAR TALK ON COLOR

"Pictures Tell and Colors Sell" will be the subject on which Harry T. Watson, Pacific Coast manager of the George H. Merrill Company, will talk at tomorrow's luncheon meeting at the Hotel Biltmore of the Advertising Club of Los Angeles. His address will be illustrated with examples of the proper use of color in advertising, along with some samples of what not to do with color. He will show how to make the average person who sees an advertisement a reader instead of a "glancer."

James G. Sprecher, one of the veterans of the local advertising club, will be chairman. The entertainment will be provided by Senator Manuel Miller, dramatic baritone. His home is in Los Angeles and he is widely known in musical circles, particularly through the Gamut Club.

PLANE CRASH
PROVES FATAL

(Continued from First Page)

Dr. Guy Shirey, police surgeon, at the Williamson Emergency Hospital, and later taken to their home in a police ambulance.

SKULL FRACTURED
Mrs. Mina Wadlin, 1113 1/2 Mohawk street, suffered a fractured skull, internal injuries and lacerations when her car was struck by a Pacific Electric car at Strand avenue and Trolleyway, Santa Monica. She was taken to Martin's Sanatorium and is expected to recover.

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AUTHOR STUDIES
GENIUS CLASSES

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weighed three-fourths of a pound more at birth than the average new-born baby weight. Symptoms of general weakness are reported only 10 per cent less frequently than for a large group of unselected children used for comparison. The mothers of the gifted group reported only 3 per cent of cases of very poor health of the gifted child during the first year of life.

"Prof. Terman says in his fascinating report which ought to be studied by every intelligent citizen of California that a large proportion of the children have broad shoulders and hips, strong muscles, and well developed legs. The results of this investigation show that the gifted group is as a whole physically superior to the various groups used for comparison. They are both taller and heavier than the average run of California children."

"The mental superiority of these children is greater than their physical superiority. Nearly one-half of them learned to read before they started to school. At least 30 per cent learned to read before the age of five, and 15 per cent before the age of 3. Most of them learned to read without any special instruction."

CURIOSITY LARGELY
"The most astounding thing was the amazing general information possessed by these young geniuses. This seemed to depend very little upon whether they had been to school or not, and almost uniformly they have retentive memories and a wide range of words with which to express their ideas."

"An indication that these are in reality superior children is the large number of distinguished relatives that many of them possess. They are remarkably related to famous people in American life and national history. Of the sixty-two members of the Hall of Fame nearly one-fourth are related to one or more of the children."

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TAKING BOARDS
CAUSES ARRESTMan Charges Wife Aided
Plan to Have Him
Arrested

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GOOD OLD SANTA
A. Anyhow, those who believe in Santa Claus get more pleasure out of the world than those who don't.

MELONS WERE RIFE
It must be admitted that this has been a lovely year for the melon industry. They have been cutting them in every field and corner.

SAVING THE CORN
Agricultural experts are breeding corn with a longer overcoat so as to keep the worms from getting a foothold. This ought to be easy for Luther Burbank.

WHAT CHANCE PEDESTRIAN?
Back near Farmington, Me., a silver fox was killed by a motor car the other day. Oh, yes, you have to be quicker and more alert than mere foxes to dodge 'em.

BEYOND THE BARRIERS
The sports who expect to get their Christmas spirit off of the run feet now at sea may be disappointed. The running is full of hazards and the course is beset with penalties.

MISPLACED TALENTS
The lady member of Chicago discovers that the sweetie who started her on her explosive career already has a wife and family. She has been wasting her initiative. She should have given her lover a good blowing up and let it go at that.

POOR CIVILIZATION
They call it civilized warfare because it is the most uncivil activity of which man is capable. The heart of civilization should crack under some of the crimes committed in her name.

WHEN IS A LIFE-SAVER?
A member of the United States Coast Guard is not permitted to have charge of a lifeboat until he can pull an oar in all kinds of weather without feeling qualms. He must know how "to heave and to hold."

A MINIATURE MOTOR
A St. Paul (Minn.) high-school boy has made an electric motor small enough to be set in the seal of a finger ring. Such things will hardly become popular, however, as engagement rings. They are too shocking.

ATTRACTING ATTENTION
John Melton, a Missouri bachelor, has made himself a suit of fancy-colored corn husks. He says it is the best suit he ever had, for it makes him feel like a hot toad, and the women all look and smile at him.

HELPFUL HINT
English film makers are trying to whet the appetite of the British public for home-made films. Best suggestion we can offer is that they promise their patrons that if they will consume their solid, substantial British films first at every program they'll have some American films for dessert.

ENDURANCE TESTS
Another big dance hall—in New York this time—has collapsed under the super-expressiveness of up-to-date terpsichorean art. The public has gotten so it can stand anything in the way of dancing, but it seems that mere stone and masonry have not.

WARNING BUMPS
A new type of safety warning is being tried out on a highway, crossing a railroad, between Petaluma and Santa Rosa. The warning comes from ridges of concrete laid across the road about fifty yards from the crossing. After bumping over the ridges automobiles are usually in no condition to race with trains.

WEIGHING THE SOUL
When a person dies the corpse has always been supposed to weigh exactly as much as when it was alive. But a French professor claims to have perfected instruments sufficiently delicate to detect a difference between the weight of a living and a dead body. According to the professor, this difference represents the weight of the soul.

THE BONE YARD
The men with pick and shovel seem able to unroot human skeletons, no matter in which part of the earth they toil. This world must have been quite a burying ground during the last 1,000,000,000 years. The delver with the Franco-American expedition in the Sahara turned up the bones of some human that must have been over six feet high and is thought to have been a woman, at that. The bones are thought to be of a pioneer Tuareg—somebody who came into the desert when it was young and before Timbuktu was staked out. It seems quite simple to weave a story about a host of human bones, no matter where found.

GOVERNOR VS. KEYES
Gov. Richardson has given the people of Los Angeles county a matter for serious consideration in his formal declaration that Dist. Atty. Keyes is unworthy of his confidence in a matter lying directly within the District Attorney's jurisdiction.

The District Attorney of Los Angeles county is the chief law-enforcement officer of the largest and richest county in the State. In power and responsibility his office is second only to that of the Governor himself. If, therefore, the occupant of that high post of public trust has so conducted his office as to forfeit the confidence of the chief executive of the State, the matter is one of more than passing moment to the nearly 2,000,000 residents of Los Angeles county who look to their District Attorney for the protection of their lives and property through the proper enforcement of the law.

The report of Mr. Keyes to the statement of the Governor does not carry conviction. In heated language he declares that the Governor's "cowardly, malicious and unwarranted attack" is a "smoke screen to save his own administration's shameful manipulation of paroles for bunko men," and that he is seeking to save himself in the coming election "from responsibility for the disgraceful and wholesale freeing of such influential crooks as Fred Mayne, Otis Berry, 'Big Hutch' and others."

As a matter of fact, Gov. Richardson's only connection with the liberation of the bunko men mentioned was his prompt and rigid investigation of the paroling of "Big Hutch," followed immediately by his order rescinding that parole and his demand for the return of the swindler from New York, whither he had fled.

The people of Los Angeles county have not forgotten Mr. Keyes's connection with the same case. It was Mr. Keyes who, after he had been two months in office, secretly attempted to secure the liberty of "Big Hutch" on parole after that arch-swindler had served only eighteen months of his ten-year sentence. Mr. Keyes had been chief deputy District Attorney under his predecessor, Woolwine, and was perfectly familiar with Hutch's record and with the fact that it had cost the people of Los Angeles county \$30,000 and a long and bitter legal battle to land him behind the bars.

A year or more ago, when Mr. Keyes was a candidate to succeed himself in the District Attorneyship, The Times opposed him on the ground that he was not a fit occupant of that high office. It was shown by his record that he was lazy and inefficient in the administration of his duties, that more than half the major efforts of the District Attorney's office were discarded as worthless by the District Attorney's own staff after they had progressed at great expense and effort to the stage of concrete results, that Mr. Keyes was guided by political expediency rather than by his responsibilities to the public, that he so directed his office that two-thirds of those whom he formally charged with major crimes escaped unwhipped of justice. From the public platform he denounced as dangerous enemies of the city a group of its most prominent business and professional men who had banded together in an effort to assist him and other law-enforcement officers in the war upon violent crime. A few months later, when he became a candidate for office, he recanted these charges in toto, declaring them to have been "ill-adviced and unjustified." At the same time he brought the political support of the same men whom he had previously denounced.

Mr. Keyes was re-elected, largely because of the absence of a strong opposition candidate. Since that time, despite his pre-election pledges, he has shown no improvement in the conduct of his office. The golf courses of Southern California know him better than do his own official precincts. It is only through the efforts of his subordinates that the tremendous mass of work in his department of the county government is kept moving.

Mr. Keyes has not changed in a year, nor has he progressed in the confidence of the public. That the Governor of the State deemed it necessary to formally and publicly voice his own lack of confidence in him is but a surface indication. Mr. Keyes's effort to interpret the Governor's statement as a political move reflects slight credit upon his own acumen. The Governor's connection with the bunko cases has not been one making it necessary for him to shift a load of blame for political purposes. The apparent reluctance of Mr. Keyes to summon the Governor as a witness before the grand jury may or may not possess significance.

In the meantime, the Governor of the State has directed the attention of the people of Los Angeles to what he describes as a condition of corruption among our officials in the comparatively recent past. Simultaneously he has branded as unworthy of confidence our chief law-enforcement officer, charged with the duty of dealing with just such conditions.

What is the answer?

MARRIED TEACHERS
San Francisco's Board of Education, women members and all, has gone on record as opposing the employment of married women teachers.

The male Superintendent of Schools asked the reinstatement of two former teachers who had resigned to get married last year. Mrs. Mary Prag, presumably a widow, member of the board, is quoted as asserting that there would never be any married teachers in the schools if she had her way.

Mrs. Alice Rose Power, another member, added for good measure "They ought to stay home and take care of their husbands."

The argument strikes many as a trifle old-fashioned. Likewise, teaching must be almost the only profession left for which marriage unfits women. San Francisco obviously feels that old-maid teachers, guiltless of consummated romance, ignorant of life's natural fulfillment for women, are the best influence in the life of youth.

Enter the Christmas Spirit



(Provided by George Matthew Adams)

women teachers of hers shall thus enjoy the ecstacy of family breadwinning.

If the Board of Education's exclusion is specifically for the benefit of teachers' husbands, one wonders if the husbands' preferences in the matter have been consulted.

If, on the other hand, the board believes that marriage impairs a woman teacher's efficiency and morals and unfits her to guide the minds of children, which can only be restored by widowhood or divorce, isn't that a trifle tough on San Francisco husbands?

Los Angeles has decided in favor of the married woman teacher. San Francisco has rushed in where the Angel City long since feared to tread. Arguments in favor of compulsory husband-petting by ex-teachers are superfluous here. And most of us decline to believe that a Los Angeles husband unites a teacher for her wider duties.

MORALE AND MORONS
Here there are three cases in courts which have held the attention of the world for some time. All three are family cases of action. One is the Rhineland case discussed at White Plains, N. Y., dealing with an embryo family. The second is the Mitchell case in court-martial in Washington, D. C., which pertains to the Army and Navy family. The third is the Locarno Pact with a scope of the affairs of the international family and guided by St. James Court, with Russia as the unnamed defendant. All three had to deal with an "enfant terrible," a black sheep of the family, in other words, a recalcitrant. All three had to do with morale as cause of action and morons as subjects.

The courts deal with the case from a legal aspect. Public opinion is the real force before which the plaintiffs and the defendants are arraigned. Public opinion itself is swayed by the publicity accorded to the cases. Without analyzing the merits of the cases in detail it may be stated from the outset that no crime was involved. Morale was in each case the issue of litigation. The accused might be termed morons in the sweeping definition in which the word is thus far accepted in its undignified value of its infancy. The purpose of the procedure in all three contentions was the direction of the public mind toward the dangers attending all attempts to do at variance with accepted rules and regulations of society at large.

Morale is the mental state as it affects a body of men, such as an army, a professional association or social aggregation. Tenets of morale are the influence guiding behavior of the members of a body in conformity with the same dictates of the class established by a long tradition. To deviate from such accepted rules jeopardizes the homogeneity or harmony of the whole mass. Whether the defendant at bar is an unruly son of a prominent family, an undisciplined member of the Army or a recalcitrant nation, his her or his behavior causes anxiety regarding the future peace of the community. The act calling forth the trial is neither important enough to be overlooked. Young Rhineland had a right to marry his selection. Mitchell as an American citizen was protected by the constitutional freedom of speech. Russia as a nation was entitled to its own selection of government regime. But all three were indiscreet.

The philosopher of Christianity's birth, St. Paul, stated it well when he said "All things are lawful unto me, but not all things are expedient." It is that judgment which influences the odd-thinking members of society, no matter in what walk of life, which causes the great majority of normal thinkers to apprehend the upsetting of equilibrium which must at all times guard its collective action.

Judicial guidance of that elusive element called "morale" in the evolution of social mentality is the directing spirit leading toward higher culture. The unwritten law is the result of its activity. The broadcasting or the suppression of publicity emphasizes or downplays the notoriety of the incident, but eventually effects crystallization of the value of good morals.

TOBACCO HABIT
Some Observations From a Nonuser
BY E. D. GOODE

The papers have had many articles recently concerning woman's legal right to smoke.

As far as we know, they have the same right to make themselves appear silly and ridiculous that a man has, and if women maintain the same evolutionary stride for a few more years I imagine they will be holding club smokers and this eventually will lead to chewing the weed, at which time one can imagine them sitting around an overflowing spittoon indulging in "spitting matches."

We see many alluring advertisements recommending the use of certain brands, one in which an otherwise intelligent man is dressed in puffing away and looking at the little clouds of smoke, as a little 3-year-old kid looks at soap bubbles, and another where an intelligent-looking man is fondling a few little pieces of the weed with an expression on his face like one who has discovered a gold mine.

We go into some eating places where there are male and female smokers. The male smokers are as the male smokers, we are tired and hungry and think here we can eat and enjoy the beauty and odor of the flowers, but perhaps at the best table will be a bunch of cheap sports with their little cigarette raising attack clouds, or some hardened smoker will start his aged, wheezy pipe that one can smell for a quarter of a mile when the wind is in the right direction, and, lo, the odors of lunch and flowers are swallowed up in smoke. I am sure the smoker does not realize that the smell of his fumes is as disagreeable to the majority of people as the odor from a disturbed skunk.

It would seem that if one was determined to form a bad habit he would select one that would not necessitate the vomiting up of one's meals while learning. It seems that women with all their boasted intuition would realize that in adopting men's habits they are losing men's reverence and respect. We are sure this is true, that the more women dress like, look like and act like men the less men admire them. Of course, the cheap shock sport will encourage the fapper to smoke, making her believe she is a jolly good fellow, yet I think not one real man in 100 can do vision his wife with a little babe at her breast while smoking and spitting over its head. The excuse most people have for the habit is that it soothes the nerves. Poor, poor humanity when they must resort to the smoke of this worm for consolation. Sitting in the Roanoke Hotel recently my attention was called to a well-dressed woman about 25 years of age smoking quite a large cigarette and acting in a manner which said plainly, "Watch me smoke!" The bell-boys were winking at each other, pointing her out. All the other women were expressing disgust, and six middle-aged men who had been smoking stepped over to the woman smoker's spittoon and deposited their cigar stubs in it as much as to say, if the women are learning, we quit, but she was hard-boiled and puffed away undisturbed. Some smokers seem to think a cigarette, cigar or pipe is an ornament to their face. To us it looks like the second tail stuck into the rear end of a fat pig, with the smoke emanating from beneath.

HAT IN THE AIR
A good booster gave an address recently on "Is Your Hat in the Air?" He insisted that the booster contributes as much as the plodder to the success of the concern.

Stability may depend on the plodder; but enthusiasm and daring are largely the contribution of the booster. Men are elected more by hats in the air than by hats in the ring.

Fighting is good at times; but shouting helps mightily. The college boys help put the ball over the goal line by shouts. Antagonistic snarls from the bleachers have held more than one team back from victory.

The cheer has sent many a brigade over the top to rescue a forlorn cause from defeat. Brass bands are one of the best assets of the army. A national anthem has turned up a brigade and saved many a day from dull disaster.

A boost often saves a business and cause from languishing and foundering about. A new hope and a new gleam have been kindled by the flash of the hat in the air.

It easily becomes a contagion that sweeps through an army or community. Mighty poor weapons can win the fight with the hats in the air. And many a good cause has foundered for lack of encouragement.

It does not take much to put wings on cold, hard steel and send it sweeping through the sky. Almost anything can fly with a bit of impractical dream hitched to its practical ideas.

THE COMING WOMEN

When 200 girl delegates attended the Girls' League Federation at the Polytechnic High School last week they gave plenty of evidence that the future is safe in such hands as these.

The hat in the ring is not to be denied, and the hat on the head serves a very useful end; but the hat in the air is more than felt—it may be a cause, a victory, a country.

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It was a delightful convention of sweet, charming, sensible girls whose fine characters were obvious for all to note.

And the fact that one of their main interests is to advocate good manners, good taste and fine friendships shows that they are restricting their activities to personal responsibility.

"Good manners, good taste, fine friendships"—these must, therefore, indicate fine character, for thus do fine characters ever express themselves. These are the sweet, true graces of life. These things are essential in the best conduct of social relations.

Good manners are the outcome of gracious, kindly intent. Good taste is sense of the fitness of things, taboos of ostentation, gaudy extravagance, excesses, extremes. And fine friendships are the most precious thing in life, entailing sympathy, understanding, loyalty, abiding love.

If these are flappers, God send us flappers!

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The more we think of it the more Will Rogers's solution of the traffic problem appeals to us.

"Keep all the cars that have been paid for off the streets," said he, "and there will be no more traffic troubles." (Exchange.)

A luxury is anything we can't afford.

PYGMIES AND TEAR GAS

BY L. J. VANDENBERGH
A party of explorers sailed from San Francisco this afternoon aboard the Dollar Liner President Van Buren for Dutch New Guinea where they will invade the heart of the habitat of a pygmy tribe, instead of carrying the usual revolvers the party has armed themselves with tear-gas guns.

Research should at all times be a mission of benevolence. The Pygmies of New Guinea, like other diminutive races of Lilliputians, have withdrawn from contact with their larger brothers in order to carry on their own existence without interference from larger men who are in the habit of bullying them into submission and to get away from ridicule or worse. Conscious of their inferiority in physical strength, as compared with surrounding tribes, these little men prefer to sequester themselves voluntarily to avoid causes of friction.

Thus I found the Pygmies in the Congo forest more amenable to kindness than to force. In finding my way to the Mambuti Pygmies I learned two things on a 25-mile march. The first was that the tribe surrounding the forest, beginning with the Walur, a six-foot tribe, who are perched on the parapet which overlooks the Albert Nyanza, had driven out the smaller tribes from the pick of the land. The Walendu, who came next, were a bloodthirsty tribe varying from five to five and one-half feet. They had driven another tribe, the Wanyar, from their island, who in turn kept the Mambuti Pygmies within the limits of the forest. Here the little dwarfs have accustomed themselves to regard the forest as their legitimate domain. They do not molest the tribes living on the outskirts of the forest, nor do they allow the larger tribes to enter their premises unpunished.

Whenever the neighboring tribes enter the forest they pay dearly for their intrusion of the privacy of the Mambuti. For the little men live as comfortably in the branches of the giant trees as on terra firma. They are armed with their poisoned arrows until the three above-mentioned tribes have found out to their cost that the Pygmies have adopted the thicket as their emblem, together with the motto of the Scotch "Nemo me impune lacessit" (no one may touch me with impunity). The result was that the Mambuti are not molested. Their sequestration and traditional fear keeps the larger tribes at a respectable distance from the preserves of the forest.

Even the whites respect the guardianship of the Mambuti over the sacred precincts of the vast wooded territory situated closely to the Lake Albert. From the beginning I was warned by Belgian officials to avoid the forest. Only two hours before I met the first Pygmies three officials, who had lived in the district for thirteen years, shook their heads to dissuade me from my quest. Their curiosity had never tempted them to get in touch with the Mambuti for the reason that no natives could be persuaded to enter the forest. The only exception I found to this rule was Zabu, the chief of a Wanyar village. He had given up a stray wall of the Mambuti, through whose medium he established relations with the fantastic dwarfs of the woods. By him I was advised to use salt and tobacco as bait to make my way into the hearts of the little men.

The bait worked to the extent that I became their guest and was allowed to enter their privacy to take photographs of their little camps, which, as the Mambuti are so disappointing, but next to impossible to photograph, owing to the perennial darkness of the forest. They swallowed my salt and tobacco with a relish. Will the tear gas of the New Guinea expedition be as successful?

It is doubtful. For, if the little Guinea men are as persistent in their objection to persecution, as the Mambuti, they will receive their visitors from the top of their trees and shoot their arrows from a safe perch before the members of the expedition can locate their invisible enemies. They will also find that the miniature men who live so closely to nature are armed with poisons much more deadly than the technique of the Mambuti, which, as likely as not, will force its force long before it rises to the heights which are the protection of the subjects of their search. For it must be remembered that these little scouts of the forest are aware of their presence long before the scouts of research will get on their trail.

The research party has to deal with people which, through its long experience of persecution, has made suspicion of outsiders its predominant psychological weapon of self-preservation. They are orientated in the forest, where ever experienced white cruisers are but beginners in forest navigation. When I secured the Mambuti invitation for myself and party to explore their village the very acquiescence of their condition that we leave our guns behind us in the Wanyar village and my acceptance of their restrictions in the number of my party disarmed the suspicion and my continued demonstration of kindness and distribution of salt and tobacco established a friendly relationship which made them come out of the forest in force to give me all the information which I had set out to obtain.

If the New Guinea expedition wishes to make good use of their airplane the explorers would be better advised to drop whatever the woman smoker's spittoon and deposited their cigar stubs in it as much as to say, if the women are learning, we quit, but she was hard-boiled and puffed away undisturbed. Some smokers seem to think a cigarette, cigar or pipe is an ornament to their face. To us it looks like the second tail stuck into the rear end of a fat pig, with the smoke emanating from beneath.

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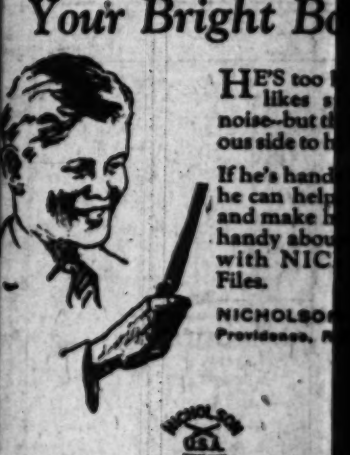
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STONE DEFENSE TO RETURN FIRE

Attack Will be Centered on Testimony of Floyd

Smith Expected to Tell About Tell-Tale Powder Box

Ruling on Charges Involving Other Children Due

The defense in the case of E. C. Stone, former Glen Airy district night watchman, will return fire on an attack upon the damaging testimony of Alva Floyd when the trial of Stone on a charge of murdering the Martin sisters, May and Nina, is resumed this morning before a jury in Superior Judge Hahn's court.

This coupled with the fact Judge Hahn is expected to hand down an important ruling in the case and that Dep. Dist. Atty. Ryan and Dennison plan to call to the stand former playmates of the murder victims and Arthur "Shorty" Smith, whose name has received prominent mention during the trial, if any sessions will develop during the day.

FLOYD TO BE QUESTIONED
Chandos Bush, defense attorney, is expected to put Floyd through a merciless cross-examination as a result of his testimony on Friday that Stone admitted to him, while they occupied the same cell at the County Jail, he was with the Martin sisters until midnight on August 23, 1924, the day upon which they dropped from sight.

It was testified by Floyd, former Recorder of Culver City, who is at present at liberty under heavy bail pending his appeal from his conviction on embezzlement charges, that Stone made his admitted admissions to him after assisting his assistance because he was a former justice of the peace. According to Floyd's testimony, Stone admitted he picked up the Martin girls on the evening of August 23, 1924, took them for an auto ride, then to a theater, to his room for something to eat where May took several drinks of liquor and then drove them home, letting them out of his automobile in front of their home at midnight.

He also testified Stone admitted unusual conduct in the presence of the Martin sisters; that he entertained other young girls of the neighborhood at his room and gave them liquor, and that he admitted burying a package of rubbish in the fields at the foot of the Baldwin Hills where the bodies of the sisters were found on February 4, last.

It was also during Floyd's testimony the name of Smith, according to Floyd, admitted Smith saw him with the Martin sisters and that Smith came to his room while they were there and he refused to let him in. Stone also told him, Floyd stated, he feared Smith and that if Smith was arrested the

DRY RAIDERS DRAIN PIPES

Contreras's Squad Turns Plumbers to Get Evidence; Week-End Liquor Swoops Net Fifteen

Dry raiders turned amateur plumbers to save evidence at a Culver City soft drink emporium in their regular week-end clean-up, according to George Contreras, chief of the city's police.

Whiskey was selling at 85 cents a drink over the bar at Dan Kelly's place, Contreras reported, and the proprietor hastened to pour two pitchers of the liquor into the sink when the raiders entered, they assert. Contreras stopped up the sink with his hands, he reported, and some of the stuff they already had gone down was recovered when his assistants removed and emptied the drain pipe. Kelly was arrested on a Wright Act charge.

The raiders devoted themselves mainly to Culver City over the week-end, the squads being out until dawn yesterday. Fifteen arrests in all were made on liquor and vagrancy charges.

Mas Lamere and William Lamere, said to be her husband, were arrested on charges of violating the Wright Act and running a disorderly house. Officers entered the place with difficulty, they reported.

"Sheriffs would make him say he (Stone) killed them," Bush, denies every detail of Floyd's testimony. Ryan and Dennison said yesterday they will turn Floyd over to the jurors for interrogation after Bush finishes his cross-examination, giving the jurors every opportunity to determine in what light his testimony shall be viewed during deliberation on a verdict.

Smith, arrested at Corona as a material witness and who has been detained at the County Jail, is expected to follow Floyd on the witness stand today. He denies all charges of being involved in the case. He is expected to give important testimony concerning a tell-tale powder box which has played an important role in the case so far. The ruling to be made by Judge Hahn will determine the right of the prosecution to present the jury testimony bearing on Stone's admitted intimacies with other children. Bush's objection to this line of testimony last week precipitated a bitter legal wrangle, which was taken under submission by Judge Hahn for his ruling today.

ENGINEER FIGURES COST OF SIDEWALK

The cost of a six-foot sidewalk on the north side of the lower roadway of Fifth street from Grand avenue to a point 160 feet south of Flower street has been estimated by City Engineer Shaw at \$34,500, as he said it will be necessary to build a retaining wall between the sidewalk and the upper roadway. He has recommended that if the Council believe the sidewalk is necessary and can be financed, it be made ten feet in width, making the cost of the walk and the retaining wall \$37,500. The construction has been urged by Councilman Barnes.

GAME RAIDED BY PAIR OF BANDITS

One Player Shot in Fight That Follows

Another Fractures Arm in Leap From Window

Police Report Arrest Near in Masked Hold-up

A quiet little penny-ante game in the room of E. R. Hanna, 1139 West Eighteenth street, was rudely interrupted early yesterday morning by a pair of masked, "two-gun" bandits. In the ensuing excitement one man was seriously shot while another broke his arm in an attempted escape. Herbert Henningson, 37 years of age, of 1433 West Twentieth street, was the victim of the gunman's bullet. He was shot through the stomach and his condition was pronounced as being critical yesterday at the General Hospital. Edward L. Herr, 32 years of age, of 1433 West Twentieth street, was the other victim. He was in progress and reaped to the ground, fracturing his arm. Both were treated at the Receiving Hospital by Police Surgeons Manning and Rietow.

SCHIFFMAN PAYMENTS VOLUNTARY

Monthly Allowance to Wealthy Pasadena's Wife Not Formal Agreement

The family of Rudolph Johnson Schiffman, Pasadena millionaire, has not entered into any formal agreement to pay his wife, Mrs. Anna Schiffman, \$1200 a month pending a continuance of the hearing of her demand for temporary alimony on January 11, as was reported in published accounts of a hearing last Wednesday. The hearing was continued at that time on account of Mrs. Schiffman's illness. She asked for temporary alimony of \$1000 per month, and at a previous hearing it had been testified that the Schiffman family, without any order of agreement of record, has been paying for the account of herself and her son amounts running as high as \$1200 a month. Her attorney said he asked a continuance of the proceedings because he expected these payments to be continued. Mr. Schiffman is reported to be in Europe.

WILL DEDICATE CHURCH

San Fernando, Dec. 6.—Dedication services are being planned for the new Seventh Day Adventist Church that is nearing completion at Brand Boulevard and Lucas street. Detective Kohn and McFadden of University Division, and Wall completion of Central Division responded to calls on the case.

DEATH CASE FOR ALPINE NEARING END

Jury Expected to Pass on Murder Charge Before Close of Day

Harry Alpina, being tried in Justice Reeve's court on a charge of having murdered Barney Blum, after a quarrel, will appear in court today for the final day of his trial. It was expected by Dep. Dist. Atty. Orme and Constable that the case will be completed and the jury asked to return a verdict today. The case has been on trial for four days. It is charged by the prosecution that Alpina met Blum in front of a store on Temple street, near Fremont street, on the night of the shooting, that there was a quarrel and that Blum was shot and killed.

Aids from statements made by the defendant according to police officers, no motive has appeared for the asserted killing. Alpina, on the stand, stated Blum had taken a watch and \$18 from him, that he reported the loss to the police several weeks later and then accused Blum, who denied the charge.

Feathers shipped in the last year from the United States to Great Britain before they had been dressed weighed 1,000,000 pounds and were valued at \$21.

FINNY VICTIMS BACK FISH TALE

Sportsman Lands Swordfish of Record Size With Line; Other Rarities Bagged Going to City's Museum of Natural History

Adventures like deep-sea fishermen dream about were recounted at the harbor yesterday by the sportsman returning from Southern Mexican waters aboard W. J. Hole's motor yacht Samona. Chief among a number of thrilling exploits was Hole's landing of a 800-pound marlin swordfish off Cape San Lucas, said to be a world's record for swordfish caught with hook-and-line.

Hole was trolling off the cape in a small launch when the giant marlin struck and in the fight that followed carried the boat miles out to sea, with a northerly gale blowing. Two rescue parties from the Samona hunted all afternoon for Hole, but when he was located at nightfall he had won the battle and had the fish alongside.

Another rarity bagged was a giant sail fin, measuring ten feet ten inches, caught by W. J. Hollingsworth, local realty man. Several rooster fish, likewise marine oddities, were landed by the party near Las Pinos.

The expedition left Los Angeles Harbor on November 9 under the direction of F. C. Hill, field collector for the Los Angeles Museum of Natural History, for which institution the specimens were secured.

Composing the party, in addition to Hole and Mr. Hollingsworth, were Walter Hole of Whittier, Ernest Grill of Balboa, Joseph Cox, noted sportsman and former president of the Catalina Tuna Club; Capt. George Faranworth of Avalon; Mr. Hill and Capt. W. W. Putta, commanding the Samona.

INGLEWOOD SCHOOL ORGANIZES COUNCIL

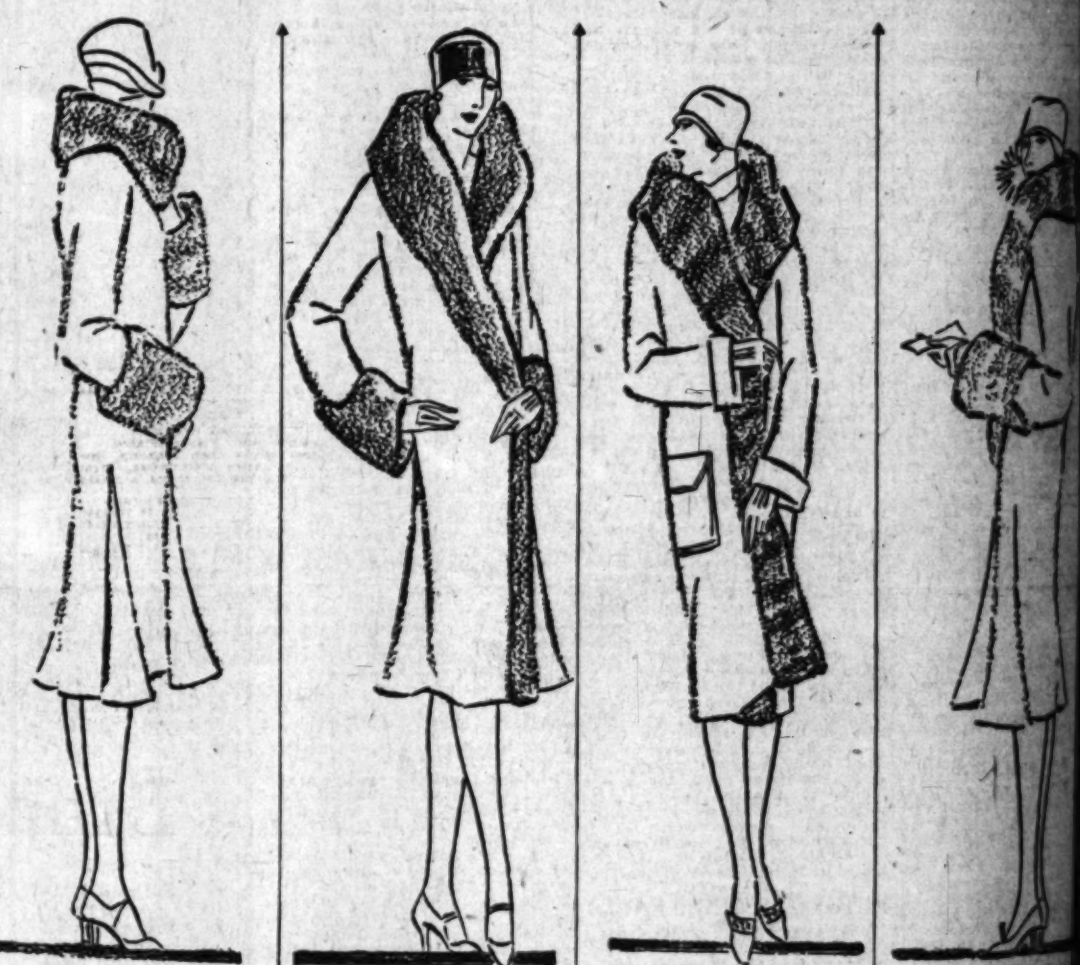
Organization of a Parent-Teacher Council for the Inglewood Union High School district is to be completed at a meeting to be held this afternoon at the high school auditorium. Classes will be dismissed early to permit the meeting to be called to order by 2:45 p.m.

Today's meeting will receive the report of a committee on by-laws and nominations, appointed at a preliminary session. The committee members are Mrs. H. F. Pelphrey of Inglewood; Mrs. H. C. Hanna of El Segundo; Mrs. W. H. Bortor of Hawthorne; Mrs. C. J. Tyler of Lennox; Mrs. A. D. Hamilton of Lawndale, and Mrs. Maude Knudson, vice-principal of the high school.

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Previous Renter of Car Now

Being Sought

Four Youths Are Held in

Attempted Theft

Circumstantial evidence worked

a mean trick yesterday on Leon-

ard Wilson, 227 Exposition Boule-

vard, who said he is a student at

a local university. The car was

Wilson rented an automobile and

when he returned it he found

Detective-inspector the car was

at 930 South Grand avenue and

Wilson was taken into custody when

he returned. The car was found

underneath the rear seat and one

of the license plates had been

covered with adhesive tape, ac-

cording to the report made by the

detective.

FOUR BOYS ARRESTED

Four boys, ranging in age from

14 to 17 years, were arrested by

detectives from the Seventy-se-

venth street station yesterday morn-

ing on suspicion of grand larceny

and burglary.

The youths are Walter Selger,

14 years old, of 402 1-2 Victo-

ria place; Marion Clayton, 16,

of 2306 West Twenty-third street; Al-

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The four suspects were taken

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TALKS ON SUPPLY

Lieut. Col. Kelly, Infantry, Uni-

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on "Tactical Organization in the

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the production of supplies, with

which the winter Plattsburg, is

chiefly concerned, Hugh Miller of

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dress the conference on "Oil Re-

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company will speak on "Tim-

ber and Lumber Resources of the

Pacific Southwest."

Col. Hutchinson also announced

the appointment of the officers

of the Quartermaster-General, War

Department, in connection with

the winter Plattsburg here.

President Lieut. Col. Chaffey,

Q.M.G., Res., and custodian

of the National House at the

Hutchinson, Q.M.G., U.S.A. Col.

Chaffey is vice-president of the

California Bank.

FOUR STILL AT IT

There are still a few days

left in the search of the

vanished color and life of the

Los Angeles of former days found

them busy at the tasks which they

began about forty years ago. Even

the work table installed in the

shop when it came into existence

last Monday is the same as

changed. It was scarred and bat-

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use, but it was the same as

about it of the same four-

men.

The shop, too, was unchanged.

The great pile of glass win-

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CHILD TIPS DAD'S MARITAL CANOE

Points Out "Father's Girl"

Relative, Divorce

Complaint States

Little Regina Wright, with

her artless prattle, talked

her father into a whole lot

of trouble, according to the

divorce cross-complaint of

Mary Mercey Wright, against

Jay R. Wright of Alhambra.

She is in the office of the

County Clerk.

Little Regina was strolling

down the street with her

grandmother, the complaint

recites, and they passed a

pretty, Auburn-haired girl.

"Oh, grandma, look. There

is my daddy's girl," she

chirped, according to the

complaint.

Wright started the divorce

action with a suit in which

he accused his wife of as-

sociation with other men. In

her counter-complaint Mrs.

Wright asserted that he

boasted about his "red-

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the appointment of the officers

of the Quartermaster-General, War

Department, in connection with

the winter Plattsburg here.

President Lieut. Col. Chaffey,

Q.M.G., Res., and custodian

of the National House at the

Hutchinson, Q.M.G., U.S.A. Col.

Chaffey is vice-president of the

California Bank.

FOUR STILL AT IT

There are still a few days

left in the search of the

vanished color and life of the

Los Angeles of former days found

them busy at the tasks which they

began about forty years ago. Even

the work table installed in the

shop when it came into existence

last Monday is the same as

changed. It was scarred and bat-

tered and showed the traces of

use, but it was the same as

about it of the same four-

men.

The shop, too, was unchanged.

The great pile of glass win-

dows through which countless num-

bers of children, now grown to

comfortable middle age, were wont

to stare at the busy workers in-

WAR PROBLEMS SET FOR STUDY

Winter Plattsburg Officers

Meet Tonight

Military Training Object of

Conference Series

Bank Head is Quartermaster-

General of Area

Charles F. Stern, president of

the Pacific Southwest Trust and

Savings Bank, will assume again

this year the duties of quar-

termaster-general in the winter

Plattsburg in Southern California,

one of more than twenty such

series of conferences that are tak-

ing place during the winter